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# SENATE JOURNAL.

## SESSION 1905.

### FIRST DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 4, 1905.

In accordance with law, the Senate of the General Assembly of North Carolina assembles this day in the Senate Chamber, in the city of Raleigh.

Honorable W. D. Turner, Lieutenant-Governor and President of the Senate, calls the Senate to order.

Prayer is offered by the Rev. Dr. I. McK. Pittinger of this city.

The following Senators-elect appear with the proper certificates of election and take and subscribe to the oath of office:

*First District*—C. S. Vann and S. M. Beasley.
*Second District*—H. W. Stubbs and Stephen C. Bragaw.
*Third District*—T. W. Mason.
*Fourth District*—W. H. Thorne.
*Fifth District*—Donnell Gilliam.
*Sixth District*—James L. Fleming.
*Seventh District*—William W. Boddie and R. H. Ricks.
*Eighth District*—David L. Ward and W. L. Arendell.
*Ninth District*—D. J. Aaron.
*Tenth District*—James F. Moore.
*Eleventh District*—B. G. Empie.
*Twelfth District*—E. F. McCulloch.

*Thirteenth District*—A. L. Shaw.
*Fourteenth District*—Neil A. Sinclair.
*Fifteenth District*—J. A. T. Jones and Henry A. Grady.
*Sixteenth District*—J. C. Ellington.
*Seventeenth District*—A. C. Zollicoffer.
*Eighteenth District*—J. A. Long.
*Nineteenth District*—J. A. Turrentine and H. A. Foushee.
*Twentieth District*—A. J. Burton.
*Twenty-first District*—Alfred M. Scales.
*Twenty-second District*—W. I. Everett and Hector McLean.
*Twenty-third District*—W. H. Watson.
*Twenty-fourth District*—Fred. J. Coxe and S. E. Williams.
*Twenty-fifth District*—C. H. Duls and W. R. Odell.
*Twenty-sixth District*—R. Lee Wright.
*Twenty-seventh District*—A. H. Eller.
*Twenty-eighth District*—C. O. Boyles.
*Twenty-ninth District*—L. P. Somers.
*Thirtieth District*—Zeb V. Long.
*Thirty-first District*—Columbus L. Turner.
*Thirty-second District*—Oscar F. Mason.
*Thirty-third District*—Charles French Toms and J. F. Alexander.
*Thirty-fourth District*—W. S. Pearson and A. D. Miller.
*Thirty-fifth District*—Stephen A. Taylor.
*Thirty-sixth District*—A. B. Bryan.
*Thirty-seventh District*—Charles A. Webb.
*Thirty-eighth District*—W. W. Stringfield.
*Thirty-ninth District*—Joel L. Crisp.

It appearing that a quorum of all of the Senators are present, the Senate is declared ready to proceed with its organization.

The Senate proceeds to the election of officers of the Senate.

For Principal Clerk of the Senate, Senator Ward nominates Mr. A. J. Maxwell of the county of Lenoir. Senator Everett seconds the nomination of Mr. Maxwell.

The Senate proceeds to vote as follows:

Those voting for Mr. Maxwell are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, McCulloch, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—45.

Mr. Maxwell is declared elected, and takes the oath of office.

Nominations for Reading Clerk being in order, Senator Vann nominates Mr. Walter L. Cohoon of the county of Pasquotank.

The Senate proceeds to vote as follows:

Those voting for Mr. Cohoon are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, McCulloch, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Shaw, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—45.

Mr. Cohoon is declared elected, and takes the oath of office.

Nominations for Doorkeeper being in order, Senator Aaron nominates Mr. L. B. Pegram of the county of Wake.

The Senate proceeds to vote as follows:

Those voting for Mr. Pegram are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett,

Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, McCulloch, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—49.

Mr. Pegram is declared duly elected, and takes the oath of office.

Nominations for Assistant Doorkeeper being in order, Senator Eller nominates Mr. Robert N. Staley of the county of Wilkes.

The Senate proceeds to vote as follows:

Those voting for Mr. Staley are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

Mr. Staley is declared duly elected, and takes the oath of office.

Nominations for Engrossing Clerk being in order, Senator Toms nominates Mr. J. W. Simpson of the county of Rutherford.

The Senate proceeds to vote as follows:

Those voting for Mr. Simpson are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Shaw, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

Mr. Simpson is declared duly elected, and takes the oath of office.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the Senate goes into the election of a President *pro tem.* of the Senate.

Senator Burton nominates Senator Webb of the county of Buncombe.

Senator Bryan nominates Senator Pearson of the county of Burke.

The Senate proceeds to vote as follows:

Those voting for Senator Webb are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Shaw, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—41.

Those voting for Senator Pearson are: Senators Boyles, Bryan, Crisp, Miller, Somers, Taylor, Webb—7.

Senator Webb is declared duly elected, and takes the oath of office.

Senator Eller introduces the following resolution:

*Resolved,* That the rules of the last Senate be adopted until new rules are adopted by this Senate.

The resolution is adopted.

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Eller, S. R. 1, resolution to canvass the vote for State officers and induct them into office and appoint a committee to arrange for the inaugural ceremonies. Upon

motion of Senator Eller, the resolution is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 2, bill to provide for the erection of memorials at Appomattox Court House. Upon motion of Senator Everett, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 3, bill to facilitate the business of the General Assembly and to reduce the cost and expense of the engrossment of bills. Upon motion of Senator Webb, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 4, bill to extend the time for registering grants and to cure certain registration. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 5, bill to amend section 3733 of The Code, to increase the pay of Supreme Court Justices. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 6, bill to amend section 3734 of The Code, to increase the pay of Superior Court Judges. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 7, bill to provide for the cancellation of mortgages given in lieu of bond for appearances in criminal proceedings or for security of costs or fine in criminal actions. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Senator Duls introduces the following resolution:

*Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring,* That a committee of three be appointed by the President of the Senate to act with a similar committee of the House to inform his Excellency, the Governor, that the General Assembly is ready for the transaction of business, and would be pleased to receive any communication which he may see proper to submit.

The resolution passes its several readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 3, bill to facilitate the business of the General Assembly and to reduce the cost and expense of the engrossment of bills, upon second reading.

Senator Burton moves to amend:

Amend by striking out line 1 and line 2 of section 1 down to and including the word "typewritten."

Amendment is lost.

Bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

MESSAGE FROM HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, January 4, 1905.

*Mr. President:*—It is ordered that a message be sent to the Senate, informing that honorable body that the House of Representatives is now ready to proceed with public business, having organized and elected the following officers:

*Speaker*—O. H. Guion of Craven County.
*Principal Clerk*—Frank D. Hackett of Wilkes County.
*Reading Clerk*—F. B. Arendell of Wake County.
*Doorkeeper*—J. H. Kerr of Caswell County.
*Assistant Doorkeeper*—David H. Jones of Pitt County.
*Engrossing Clerk*—M. D. Kinsland of Haywood County.

FRANK D. HACKETT,
*Principal Clerk.*

Upon motion of Senator Webb, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

## SECOND DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 5, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. M. M. Marshall of this city.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, the reading of the Journal of yesterday is dispensed with, and the same stands approved.

### MESSAGE FROM HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message is received from the House of Representatives:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the Senate informing that honorable body that the House of Representatives has appointed Messrs. Graham of Granville, Cunningham, Roberson, Warren of Jones and Uzzell to act with a similar committee to be appointed by the Senate to wait upon his Excellency, Governor Charles B. Aycock, and inform him that the General Assembly is organized and ready for the transaction of business, and will be pleased to receive any communication which he may see proper to submit.

On behalf of the Senate, the President appoints Senators Duls, Burton and Pearson to act with the above committee.

The President announces the appointment of Senators Webb, Chairman; Mason of Northampton and Zollicoffer as permanent Committee on Rules.

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Webb, S. B. 10, bill to regulate the manufacture of whiskey in the City of Asheville. Upon motion of Senator Webb, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 11, bill to incorporate the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 12, bill to appoint justices of the peace for Rowan County. Upon motion of Senator Wright, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 13, bill to make it a misdemeanor for one partner to appropriate partnership funds or property to his own use. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 14, bill to regulate the sale of cocaine and morphine. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 15, bill to repeal chapter 675, Public Laws of 1903. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 16, bill to amend chapter 273, Public Laws of 1903, entitled "An act for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows." Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 17, bill to provide for amending of section 650 of The Code concerning appeals in contempt cases. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 18, bill to amend chapter 645, Public Laws of 1903, to provide for paying stenographers for Craven County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 19, bill to amend section 648 of The Code to provide for appeals in contempt cases. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 20, bill to make the office of bank cashier a continuing office. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 21, bill to repeal chapter 513, Public Laws of 1899. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Senator Webb introduces the following resolution:

*Be it resolved by the Senate,* That in addition to the committee authorized by the rules of the Senate, an additional committee be appointed by the President of the Senate to be known as the Committee on Codification of Laws.

Resolution is adopted.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. R. 1, resolution to canvass the vote for State officers and induct them into office and appoint a committee to arrange for the inaugural ceremonies.

Senator Eller offers a substitute for the above resolution.

Substitute is adopted.

Resolution passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

On behalf of the Senate, the President appoints on the committee provided for in the above resolution Senators Eller, Odell and Ward.

S. B. 10, bill to regulate the manufacture of whiskey in the city of Asheville, upon its second reading.

Bill passes its second reading and is, upon motion of Senator McLean, referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 12, bill to appoint justices of the peace for Rowan County, upon its second reading.

Bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 2, bill to provide for the erection of memorials at Appomattox Court House, upon motion of Senator Scales, is referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Senator Duls for the committee to wait upon the Governor reports that the Governor presents his respects to the members of the Senate, and that he will communicate with the Senate at once in writing.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message from his Excellency the Governor, Charles B. Aycock, is received and read.

Senator Scales introduces S. R. 22, resolution to print the Governor's message.

Resolution passes its several readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

COMMITTEES.

The President of the Senate announces the appointment of standing committees, which are read by the Clerk, as follows:

*Propositions and Grievances*—Duls, Chairman; Bragaw, Thorne, Arendell, Jones, Turner, Turrentine, Shaw, Williams, Long of Iredell, Taylor.

*Privileges and Elections*—Stubbs, Chairman; Gilliam, Zollicoffer, Eller, Empie, Alexander, Miller.

*Claims*—Sinclair, Chairman; Aaron, Fleming, Ward, Watkins, Odell, Crisp.

*Judiciary*—Mason of Northampton, Chairman; Gilliam, Zollicoffer, Burton, Mason of Gaston, Scales, Duls, Foushee, Stubbs, Vann, Webb, Ward, Fleming, Wright, Bragaw, Williams, Toms, Long of Iredell, Empie, Eller, Boddie, Coxe, Grady, Sinclair, Pearson, Bryan.

*Internal Improvements*—Ricks, Chairman; Long of Person, Watkins, Toms, Stringfield, Bryan.

*Education*—Scales, Chairman; Bragaw, Mason of Northampton, Boddie, Grady, McCulloch, Long of Iredell, Duls, Stringfield, Pearson.

*Military Affairs*—Grady, Chairman; Williams, Coxe, Toms, Bragaw, Fleming, Ward, Thorne.

*Agriculture*—McLean, Chairman; Everett, Thorne, Beasley, Ricks, Moore, Shaw, Turrentine, Boyles.

*Banks and Currency*—Everett, Chairman; Watkins, Long of Person, Bragaw, Ricks, Odell, Empie, Bryan.

*Corporations*—Wright, Chairman; Empie, Eller, Coxe, Bragaw, Zollicoffer, Gilliam, Foushee, Ward, Crisp.

*Finance*—Long of Person, Chairman; Zollicoffer, Everett, Ricks, McCulloch, Odell, Wright, Turrentine, Alexander, Jones, McLean, Thorne, Moore, Watkins, Stringfield, Somers.

*Insurance*—Eller, Chairman; Beasley, Empie, Mason of Gaston, Toms, Webb, Odell.

*Penal Institutions*—Gilliam, Chairman; Aaron, Alexander, Burton, Eller, Ellington, Long of Iredell, Crisp.

*Salaries and Fees*—McCulloch, Chairman; Fleming, Stubbs, Scales, Zollicoffer, Mason of Northampton, Pearson.

*Engrossed Bills*—Boddie, Chairman; Coxe, Toms, Alexander, Moore, Jones, Boyles.

*Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylums*—Turner, Chairman; Mason of Northampton, Ellington, Foushee, Everett, Grady, Somers.

*Insane Asylums*—Arendell, Chairman; Aaron, Ellington, Webb, Mason of Gaston, Odell, Long of Iredell, Miller.

*Federal Relations*—Toms, Chairman; Mason of Northampton, Zollicoffer, Scales, Wright, Sinclair, Pearson.

*Fish and Fisheries*—Beasley, Chairman; Vann, Arendell, Turner, Ward, Grady, Toms.

*Pensions and Soldiers' Home*—Stringfield, Chairman; Ellington, Everett, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Ricks, Turner, Turrentine, Watkins, Crisp.

*Railroad and Railroad Commission*—Foushee, Chairman; Mason of Northampton, Vann, Burton, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Wright, Scales, Sinclair, Taylor.

*Public Roads*—Ellington, Chairman; Foushee, Shaw, Moore, Thorne, McCulloch, Bryan.

*Counties, Cities and Towns*—Vann, Chairman; Webb, Arendell, Odell, Bragaw, Duls, Jones, McLean, Watkins.

*Public Health*—Jones, Chairman; Moore, Beasley, Coxe, McLean, Shaw, Somers.

*Manufacturing*—Odell, Chairman; Watkins, Ricks, Long of Person, Turner, Everett, Eller, Scales.

*Mining*—Alexander, Chairman; Watkins, Williams, Stubbs, Sinclair, Arendell, Crisp.

*Election Laws*—Burton, Chairman; Webb, Gilliam, Stubbs, Scales, Odell, Foushee, Shaw, Pearson.

*Constitutional Amendment*—Fleming, Chairman; Burton, Stubbs, Gilliam, Mason of Northampton, Mason of Gaston, Sinclair.

*Shell-fish*—Ward, Chairman; Beasley, Arendell, Grady, Bragaw, McCulloch, Empie.

*Appropriations*—Mason of Gaston, Chairman; Everett, Scales, Ellington, Webb, Thorne, Boddie, Aaron, Empie, Taylor.

*Congressional Apportionment*—Williams, Chairman; Stubbs, Gilliam, Grady, Boddie, Eller, Empie, Odell, Mason of Gaston, Webb.

*Judicial Districts*—Bragaw, Chairman; Fleming, Boddie, Toms, Coxe, Empie, Eller.

JOINT COMMITTEES.

*Library*—Empie, Chairman; Burton, Gilliam, Turner, Ellington.

*Justices of the Peace*—Aaron, Chairman; Gilliam, Shaw, Moore, Jones.

*Public Buildings and Grounds*—Watkins, Chairman; Ellington, Long of Person, Everett, Odell.

*Trustees of the University*—Coxe, Chairman; Eller,

Scales, Gilliam, Sinclair, Boddie, Webb, Turrentine, Pearson.

*Enrolled Bills*—Long of Iredell, Chairman; Coxe, Boddie, Alexander, Aaron, Beasley, Grady, Jones, Bryan.

*Printing*—Turrentine, Chairman; Ellington, Moore.

*Codification of Laws*—Zollicoffer, Chairman; Gilliam, Foushee, Scales, Eller, Burton, Boddie, Mason of Northampton, Mason of Gaston, Bragaw.

*Rules*—Webb, Chairman; Mason of Northampton, Zollicoffer.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Person, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## THIRD DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 6, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Tyree of this city.

The Journal of yesterday is read and approved.

Upon motion of Senator Boddie, leave of absence is granted Senator Ricks until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Aaron, leave of absence is granted Senator Jones until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, leave of absence is granted Senator Webb until Monday.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Rules:

Senator Webb, for the committee, submits the following report, with recommendation that they be adopted as the Rules of the Senate:

## Senate Rules.

*Be it resolved by the Senate,* That the Rules of the Senate, Session 1903, as follows, be adopted as the Rules to govern the Senate, Session 1905:

### ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. The President having taken the chair at the hour to which the Senate shall have adjourned, and a quorum being present, the Journal of the preceding day shall be read, unless otherwise ordered by the Senate, to the end that any mistakes therein may be corrected.

2. After reading and approval of the Journal, the order of business shall be as follows:

(1) Reports of Standing Committees.

(2) Reports of Select Committees.

(3) Announcement of Petitions, Bills and Resolutions.

(4) Unfinished Business of preceding day.

(5) Special Orders.

(6) General Orders: First, bills and resolutions on third reading; second, bills and resolutions on second reading; but messages from the Governor and House of Representatives, and communications and reports from State officers, and reports from the Committees on Engrossed Bills and Enrolled Bills may be received and acted on under any order of business.

### POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE PRESIDENT.

3. He shall take the chair promptly at the appointed time and proceed with the business of the Senate according to the rules adopted. At any time during the absence of the President, the President *pro tempore,* who shall be elected, shall

preside, and he is hereby vested during such time with all the powers of the President, except that of giving a casting vote in case of a tie when he shall have voted as a Senator.

4. He shall assign to Doorkeepers their respective duties and stations, and shall appoint such employees and assistants to them as he may deem necessary.

### OF THE CLERK.

5. The President and Clerk of the Senate shall see that all bills shall be acted upon by the Senate in the order in which they stand upon the Calendar, unless otherwise ordered, as hereinafter provided. The Calendar shall include the number and title of bills and joint resolutions which have passed the House of Representatives and have been received by the Senate for concurrence.

6. The Clerk shall certify the passage of bills by the Senate, with the date thereof, together with the fact whether passed by a vote of three-fifths or two-thirds of the Senate, whenever such vote may be required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

### OF THE RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF SENATORS.

7. Every Senator presenting a paper shall endorse the same; if a petition, memorial, or report to the General Assembly, with a brief statement of its subject or contents, adding his name; if a resolution, with his name; if a report of a committee, a statement of such report, with the name of the committee and member making the same; if a bill, a statement of its title, which shall contain a brief statement of the subject or contents of the bill, with his name; and all bills, resolutions, petitions and memorials shall be delivered to the Clerk and by him handed to the President, to be by him referred, and he shall announce the titles and references of the same, which shall be entered on the Journal.

8. All motions shall be reduced to writing, if desired by the President or any Senator, delivered in at the table and read by the President or Clerk before the same shall be debated; but any such motion may be withdrawn by the introducer at any time before decision or amendment.

9. If any question contains several distinct propositions, it shall be divided by the President, at the request of any Senator: *Provided,* each subdivision, if left to itself, shall form a substantive proposition.

10. When the President is putting a question, or a division by counting shall be had, no Senator shall walk out of or across the house, nor when a Senator is speaking pass between him and the President.

11. Every Senator wishing to speak or debate, or to present a petition or other paper, or to make a motion or report, shall rise from his seat and address the President, and shall not proceed further until recognized by him. No Senator shall speak more than twice nor longer than thirty minutes on the same day on the same subject without leave of the Senate; and when two or more Senators rise at once the President shall name the Senator who is first to speak.

12. Every Senator who shall be within the bar of the Senate when the question is stated by the chair shall vote thereon, unless he shall be excused by the Senate, or unless he be directly interested in the question; and the bar of the Senate shall include the entire Senate Chamber.

13. When a motion to adjourn, or for recess, shall be affirmatively determined, no member or officer shall leave his place till adjournment or recess shall be declared by the President.

### STANDING COMMITTEES.

14. The following named committees shall be appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor, each committee consisting of as many members as may be deemed expedient:

(1) On Propositions and Grievances.
(2) On Privileges and Elections.
(3) On Claims.
(4) On Judiciary.
(5) On Internal Improvements.
(6) On Education.
(7) On Military Affairs.
(8) On Agriculture.
(9) On Banks and Currency.
(10) On Corporations.
(11) On Finance.
(12) On Insurance.
(13) On Penal Institutions.
(14) On Salaries and Fees.
(15) On Engrossed Bills.
(16) On Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylums.
(17) On Insane Asylums.
(18) On Federal Relations.
(19) On Fish and Fisheries.
(20) On Pensions and Soldiers' Home.
(21) On Railroads and Railroad Commission.
(22) On Public Roads.
(23) On Counties, Cities and Towns.
(24) On Public Health.
(25) On Manufacturing.
(26) On Mining.
(27) On Election Law.
(28) On Constitutional Amendment.
(29) On Shell-fish.
(30) On Rules.
(31) On Appropriations.
(32) On Congressional Apportionment.
(33) On Judicial Districts.
(34) Committee on Codifications of Laws.

JOINT COMMITTEES.

15. (1) On Library.
(2) On Justices of the Peace.
(3) On Public Buildings and Grounds.
(4) On Trustees of the University.
(5) On Enrolled Bills.
(6) On Printing.

16. The Committee on Engrossed Bills shall examine all bills, amendments and resolutions before they go out of the possession of the Senate, and make a report when they find them correctly engrossed: *Provided*, that when a bill is typewritten, and has no interlineations therein, and has passed the Senate without amendment, it shall be sent to the House without engrossment, unless otherwise ordered.

17. The Committee on Appropriations shall carefully examine all bills and resolutions appropriating or paying any moneys out of the State Treasury, keep an accurate record of the same and report to the Senate from time to time.

18. Every report of the committee upon a bill or resolution which shall not be considered at the time of making the same, or laid on the table by a vote of the Senate, shall stand upon the General Orders with the bill or resolution; and the report of the committee shall show that a majority of the committee were present and voting: *Provided*, that the chairman and five members of the Judiciary Committee and also of the Finance Committee shall constitute a quorum.

OF GENERAL ORDERS AND SPECIAL ORDERS.

19. Any bill or other matter may be made a Special Order for a particular day or hour by a vote of the majority of the Senators voting, and if it shall not be completed on that day it shall be returned to its place on the Calendar, unless it shall be made a Special Order for another day; and when a

Special Order is under consideration it shall take precedence of any Special Order or a subsequent order for the day, but such subsequent order may be taken up immediately after the previous Special Order has been disposed of.

20. Every bill shall receive three readings previous to its being passed, and the President shall give notice at each whether it be the first, second or third. After the first reading, unless a motion shall be made by some Senator, it shall be the duty of the President to refer the subject-matter to an appropriate committee. No bill shall be amended until it shall have been twice read.

PROCEEDINGS WHEN THERE IS NOT A QUORUM VOTING.

21. If, on taking the question on a bill, it shall appear that a constitutional quorum is not present, or if the bill require a vote of a certain proportion of all the Senators to pass it, and it appear that such a number is not present, the bill shall be again read and the question taken thereon; if the bill fail a second time for the want of a quorum, or for the want of the necessary number being present and voting, the bill shall not be finally lost, but shall be returned to the Calendar in its proper order.

PRECEDENCE OF MOTION.

22. When a question is before the Senate, no motion shall be received except those herein specified, which motions shall have precedence as follows, viz.:

(1) For an adjournment.
(2) To lay on the table.
(3) For the previous question.
(4) To postpone indefinitely.
(5) To postpone to a day certain.
(6) To commit to a standing committee.

(7) To commit to a select committee.
(8) To amend.
(9) To substitute.

23. The previous question shall be as follows: "Shall the main question be put?" and, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments and debates. If this question shall be decided in the affirmative, the "main question" shall be on the passage of the bill, resolution or other matter under consideration; but when amendments are pending, the question shall be taken up on such amendments, in their order, without further debate or amendment. However, any Senator may move the previous question and may restrict the same to an amendment or other matter then under discussion. If such question be decided in the negative, the main question shall be considered as remaining under debate.

24. When the motion for the previous question is made, and pending the second thereto by a majority, debate shall cease, and only a motion to adjourn or lay on the table shall be in order, which motions shall be put as follows: Previous question; adjourn; lay on the table. After a motion for the previous question is made, and pending a second thereto, any member may give notice he desires to offer an amendment to the bill or other matter under consideration; and after the previous question is seconded, such member shall be entitled to offer his amendment in pursuance of such notice.

OTHER QUESTIONS TO BE TAKEN WITHOUT DEBATE.

25. The motions to adjourn and lay on the table shall be decided without debate, and the motion to adjourn shall always be in order when made by a Senator entitled to the floor.

26. The respective motions to postpone to a day certain, or to commit, shall preclude debate on the main question.

27. All questions relating to the priority of business shall be decided without debate.

28. When the reading of a paper is called for, except petitions, and the same is objected to by any Senator, it shall be determined by the Senate without debate.

29. Any Senator requesting to be excused from voting may make, either immediately before or after the vote shall have been called, and before the result shall have been announced, a brief statement of the reasons for making such request, and the question shall then be taken without debate.

Any Senator may explain his vote on any bill pending by obtaining permission of the President before the vote is put: *Provided*, that not more than two minutes shall be consumed in such explanation.

QUESTIONS THAT REQUIRE A TWO-THIRDS VOTE.

30. No bill or resolution on its third reading shall be acted on out of the regular order in which it stands on the Calendar, and no bill or resolution shall be acted upon on its third reading the same day on which it passed its second reading, unless so ordered by a vote of two-thirds of the Senators present.

31. No bill or resolution shall be sent from the Senate on the day of its passage, except on the last day of the session, unless otherwise ordered by a vote of two-thirds of the Senators present.

32. No bill or resolution, after being laid upon the table upon motion, shall be taken therefrom except by a vote of two-thirds of the Senators present.

DECORUM IN DEBATE.

33. No remark reflecting personally upon the action of any Senator shall be in order in debate, unless preceded by a motion or resolution of censure.

34. When a Senator shall be called to order he shall take his seat until the President shall have determined whether he was in order or not; if decided to be out of order, he shall not proceed without the permission of the Senate, and every question of order shall be decided by the President, subject to an appeal to the Senate by any Senator; and if a Senator be called to order for words spoken, the words excepted to shall be immediately taken down in writing, that the President or Senate may be better enabled to judge of the matter.

MISCELLANEOUS RULES.

35. When a blank is to be filled, and different sums or times shall be proposed, the question shall be first taken on the highest sum or the longest time.

36. When a question has been once put and decided, it shall be in order for any Senator who shall have voted in the majority to move a reconsideration thereof; but no motion for the reconsideration of any vote shall be in order after the bill, resolution, message, report, amendment or motion upon which the vote was taken shall have gone out of the possession of the Senate; nor shall any motion for reconsideration be in order unless made on the same day, or the next following legislative day, on which the vote proposed to be reconsidered shall have taken place, unless the same shall be made by the Committee on Enrolled Bills for verbal or grammatical errors in bills, when the same may be made at any time. Nor shall any question be reconsidered more than once.

37. All bills and resolutions shall take their place upon the Calendar according to their number, and shall be taken up in regular order, unless otherwise ordered.

38. No smoking shall be allowed within the Senate Chamber during the sessions.

39. Senators and visitors shall uncover their heads upon entering the Senate Chamber while the Senate is in session,

and shall continue uncovered during their continuance in the Chamber.

40. No Senator or officer of the Senate shall depart the service of the Senate without leave, or receive pay as a Senator or officer for the time he is absent without leave.

41. No person other than the executive and judicial officers of the State, members and officers of the Senate and House of Representatives, unless on invitation of the President or by vote of the Senate, shall be permitted within the bar.

42. No rule of the Senate shall be altered, suspended or rescinded without a vote of a majority of all the Senators elected; and no motion to suspend shall embrace more than one rule or relate to any other subject than the one specified in said motion.

43. In case a less number than a quorum of the Senate shall convene, they are authorized to send the Doorkeeper, or any other person, for any or all absent Senators, as a majority of the Senators present shall determine.

44. The yeas and nays upon any question shall be taken and entered upon the Journal upon demand of one-fifth of the Senators present.

45. That in case of adjournment without any hour being named, the Senate shall reconvene the next legislative day at 11 o'clock A. M.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Duls, S. B. 10, bill to regulate the manufacture of whiskey in the city of Asheville. Committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Foushee, memorial from the Conference of the Methodist Church in regard to the passage of a divorce law. Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the message is read in full and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Duls, S. B. 23, bill to incorporate Charlotte Park and Tree Commission. Upon motion of Senator Duls, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 24, bill to provide stenographers for Rowan County. Upon motion of Senator Wright, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 25, bill to defray the traveling and other incidental expenses of the Governor. Upon motion of Senator Thorne, the bill is referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 26, bill to bar power of sale in mortgages, mortgage trust deeds, deeds in trust, etc., when the debt secured thereby is barred. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 27, bill to authorize and empower the city of Wilmington to acquire and hold land for the purpose of public parks outside and beyond the city limits. Upon motion of Senator Empie, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 28, bill to increase the pay of jurors in the county of Pitt. Upon motion of Senator Fleming, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 29, bill for the working and regulation of certain roads and highways. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

The report of the Committee on Rules is taken up and, upon motion of Senator Webb, further reading of the rules is dispensed with, and the report of the Committee is adopted, and two hundred and fifty copies ordered printed for the use of the Senate.

S. B. 10, bill to regulate the manufacture of whiskey in the city of Asheville, upon its third reading. The amendments recommended by the committee are adopted.

Senator Long, of Iredell, calls for the ayes and noes. Call is sustained.

The bill passes its third reading, ayes 34, noes 14, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Aaron, Boyles, Bryan, Crisp, Empie, Everett, Long of Iredell, McLean, Miller, Pearson, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Turner—14.

S. B. 23, bill to incorporate Charlotte Park and Tree Commission, upon its second reading.

Bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 24, bill to provide court stenographers for Rowan County, upon its second reading.

Bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 27, bill to empower and authorize the city of Wilmington to acquire and hold land for the purpose of public parks outside and beyond the city limits, upon its second reading.

Bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 28, bill to increase the pay of jurors in the county of Pitt, upon its second reading.

Senator Fleming offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Bill, as amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

Senator Bragaw introduces a resolution to establish a Committee on Immigration. Referred to Committee on Rules.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. R. 22, H. R. 14, resolution providing for printing the Governor's message, with amendment by House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the Senate concurs in the amendment of the House of Representatives and the resolution is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Boddie, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

## FOURTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 7, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. R. F. Bumpass of this city.

The Journal of yesterday is read and approved.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, leave of absence is granted Senator Long of Person until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, leave of absence is granted Senator Zollicoffer until Tuesday.

### ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Coxe, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bill and resolution properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. R. 14, S. R. 22, joint resolution providing for the printing of the Governor's message.

H. B. 39, S. B. 28, an act to increase the pay of jurors in the county of Pitt.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Salaries and Fees:

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 25, bill to defray traveling and other incidental expenses of the Governor, with a favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Ellington, S. B. 29, bill for working and regulation of certain roads and highways. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Beasley, S. B. 30, bill to amend chapter 378, Public Laws of 1903, prohibiting the manufacture and sale of liquor, etc., near certain churches in Currituck County. Upon motion of Senator Beasley, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 31, bill to authorize the County Board of Education of Mecklenburg County to borrow money and mortgage the school building in Public School District No. 2 in Mecklenburg County. Upon motion of Senator Duls, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Vann, S. B. 32, bill to regulate fishing in Albemarle and Pamlico Sounds and waters connected with them. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 33, bill to incorporate the Sanford and River Valley Railway Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Grady, S. B. 34, bill to make the punishment discretionary in certain cases of conviction of simple assault upon indictment for assault with intent to commit rape. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 35, bill for the relief of C. M. Pace, Clerk of the Superior Court of Henderson County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 36, bill to empower and enable the city of Wilmington to dispose of or sell certain lands owned near Wrightsville Sound and invest the proceeds in a public park. Upon motion of Senator Empie, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 37, bill for the protection of fish in the lakes of Bladen County. Upon motion of Senator McCulloch, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 25, bill to defray traveling and other expenses of the Governor, upon its second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is re-referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 29, bill for working and regulation of certain roads and highways, upon its second reading. The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 44, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Wright—44.

S. B. 30, bill to amend chapter 378, Public Laws of 1905, prohibiting the manufacture and sale of liquors, etc., near certain churches in Currituck County, upon its second reading.

Bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 31, bill to authorize the County Board of Education of Mecklenburg County to borrow money and mortgage the school building in Public School District No. 2 of Mecklenburg County, upon its second reading.

Bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 36, bill to empower and enable the city of Wilmington to dispose of or sell certain lands owned near Wrights-

ville Sound and invest the proceeds in a public park, upon its second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, the bill is referred to the Judiciary Committee.

S. B. 37, bill for the protection of fish in the lakes of Bladen County, upon its second reading.

Bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, an invitation to attend a musical entertainment at Peace Institute is accepted by the Senate.

Upon motion of Senator Odell, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock Monday morning.

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## FIFTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 9, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Bishop of this city.

The Journal of Saturday is read and approved.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, leave of absence is granted Senator Scales until to-morrow.

Upon motion of Senator Turrentine, leave of absence is granted Senator Foushee until Friday.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, leave of absence is granted Senators Eller, Odell and Ward until Thursday.

Upon motion of Senator Fleming, ex-Senator James of Pitt is accorded the privileges of the floor.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, ex-Senator Bond of Chowan is accorded the privileges of the floor.

The President announces the appointment of Senator Ward as a member of the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Vann, S. B. 4, bill to extend time for registering grants and to cure certain registrations, with a favorable recommendation.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Eller, S. B. 38, bill to amend charter of the town of Salem. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 39, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Pitt County to levy a special tax. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 40, bill to punish assaults upon women with intent to have carnal knowledge of them. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 41, bill to amend section 1027 of The Code. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 42, bill to amend chapter 321 of the Public Laws of 1903. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 43, bill to supply the Clerk of the Superior Court of Henderson County with certain books and have certain books rebound. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 44, bill relative to the Superior Courts of Martin County. Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 45, bill to repeal part of chapter 365, Private Laws of 1903. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 46, bill to amend chapter 29, Public Laws of 1899. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 47, bill to amend section 192 of The Code. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Williams, S. B. 48, bill to amend chapter 28 of the Public Laws of 1901, fixing the time of holding the courts of the Tenth Judicial District. Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

By Senator Williams, S. B. 49, bill to amend chapter 584 of Public Laws of 1903, and to extend the time for organizing the Southern Electric Power Company. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 50, bill to amend chapter 42 of the Private Laws of 1874 and 1875, entitled an act to incorporate the Pamlico Insurance and Banking Company. Upon motion of Senator Gilliam, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Miller, by request, S. B. 53, bill to incorporate Granite Falls Graded Schools in Caldwell County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

## ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Beasley, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 50, S. B. 30, bill to amend chapter 378, Public Laws of 1903.

## THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 29, bill for the working and regulation of certain roads and highways, upon its third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Wright—40.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 50, bill to amend chapter 42 of the Private Laws of 1874, and 1875, entitled "An act to incorporate the Pamlico Insurance and Banking Company," upon its second reading.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 4, bill to extend time for registering grants and to cure certain registrations, upon its second reading.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 27, S. B. 51, bill to amend chapter 488, section 4, Laws of 1899, so as to provide for the election of Commissioners of Granville by the people. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 33, S. B. 52, bill to appoint J. P. Alderman a justice of the peace for Rose Hill Township, Duplin County. Upon motion of Senator Moore, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

H. B. 33, S. B. 52, bill to appoint J. P. Alderman a justice of the peace for Rose Hill Township, Duplin County, upon its second reading.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Fleming, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## SIXTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 10, 1905.

The Senate meets purusant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Tyree of this city.

Upon motion of Senator Coxe, the reading of the Journal of yesterday is dispensed with and the same stands approved.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Beasley, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 33, S. B. 52, bill to appoint J. P. Alderman a justice of the peace for Rose Hill Township, Duplin County.

H. B. 73, S. B. 50, bill to amend chapter 42 of the Private Laws of 1874 and 1875, entitled an act to incorporate the Pamlico Insurance and Banking Company.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports from standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Judicial Districts:

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 44, bill relative to the Superior Courts of Martin County, with a favorable recommendation.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Fleming, petition from citizens of Pitt County asking that a law be passed to compel stopping around and under houses situate in stock range in certain locality in Pitt County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Mason of Northampton, petition from citizens of Northampton County asking the passage of an act to tax dogs in Northampton County. Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message from his Excellency, the Governor, Charles B. Aycock, is received and read.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Grady, by request, S. B. 54, bill for the relief of B. R. Lacy, Treasurer of North Carolina. Upon motion of Senator Gilliam, the bill is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 55, bill to amend section 1022 of The Code in reference to escapes. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 56, bill to regulate challenges in civil cases. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 57, bill in regard to judgments. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 58, bill to regulate proceedings in criminal cases. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Boddie, S. B. 59, bill for the election of Commissioners of Franklin County.

Upon motion of Senator Boddie, the bill is placed npon the Calendar.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 60, bill to amend charter of the Statesville Air Line Railroad Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 61, bill for the prevention of fraudulent trading. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Senator Burton introdnces the following resolntion:

*Resolved,* That a message be sent to the Honse of Representatives informing that honorable body that at the hour of noon the Senate will proceed in a body to the hall of the House Representatives to assist in opening and publishing the retnrns of the last election for Governor and other State officers.

The resolution is adopted.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 59, bill for the election of Commissioners of Franklin County, upon its second reading.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 44, bill relative to the Superior Conrts of Martin County, upon its second reading.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

Upon motion of Senator Gilliam, the motion to refer S. B. 54, bill for the relief of B. R. Lacy, Treasurer of North Carolina, to the Committee on Finance is reconsidered, and the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

THE CALNDAR

is resumed.

S. B. 54, bill for the relief of B. R. Lacy, Treasurer of North Carolina, upon its second reading.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, ex-Senator Parker of Gates is accorded the privileges of the floor.

Upon motion of Senator Sinclair, ex-Senator Williams of Cumberland is accorded the privileges of the floor.

Upon motion of Senator Boddie, ex-Senator White of Franklin is accorded the privileges of the floor.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Person, ex-Senator Scott of Alamance is accorded the privileges of the floor.

The following invitation was received and read:

*To the Honorable Senate of North Carolina:*

GENTLEMEN:—The Trustees and Faculty of the North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts cordially invite your honorable body to attend the ceremony of the laying of the corner-stone of the new Agricultural Building of the College by the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, this afternoon, Tuesday, January 10, at half-past three o'clock. There will also be an address by Governor Charles B. Aycock and a poem by Professor Henry Jerome Stockard. The ceremony will take place in West Raleigh, opposite the State Fair grounds, at the terminus of the street car line, on Hillsboro street.

Very respectfully,

GEORGE T. WINSTON,
*President.*

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the thanks of the Senate are returned President Winston for this invitation.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from his Excellency, the Governor, Charles B. Aycock, transmitting the following report:

*To the Honorable, the General Assembly:*

GENTLEMEN:—The General Assembly of 1903 passed the following joint resolution, which was ratified 4th of March, 1903:

THE JOINT RESOLUTION OF INQUIRY AS TO ENLARGEMENT OF THE CAPITOL.

*Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring,* Whereas, by reason of the great increase of the population, wealth and governmental business of this State the Capitol has become much too small for the purposes for which it was designed; and, whereas, the original plan, foreseeing this, provided for the addition of a north and south wing, as in the Capitol at Washington; and, whereas, further, the Judicial Department, the State Library, the Attorney-General and Superintendent of Public Instruction have been crowded out of the present building, and the valuable libraries of the Supreme Court of the State are exposed to great danger of fire, and their loss would be irremediable by reason of these and divers other deficiencies in the present Capitol:

*Resolved,* That a committee of five shall be appointed, consisting of one Senator appointed by the President of the Senate, and two members of the House of Representatives, the Governor of the State *ex officio* and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court *ex officio,* who shall investigate and report to the next General Assembly a plan or plans, together with

the probable cost thereof, for the addition of the aforesaid wings. Said wings shall provide on the ground floor for additional rooms of executive officers of the State, including the Attorney-General and Superintendent of Public Instruction; the second floor shall provide a suitable chamber in the south wing for the House of Representatives, and a suitable chamber in the north wing for the Senate, the present halls of these two bodies to be remodeled and converted into committee rooms. The third floor of the north wing shall be reserved for the Supreme Court and its library, and the third floor of the south wing shall be provided for the State Library, and an elevator shall be provided in each wing.

*Resolved further,* That said committee shall serve without compensation and shall fill any vacancies (other than in the *ex officio* members) occurring in their body. They shall have power to employ an architect to make the necessary plans and drawings, with an estimate of the cost of each plan reported.

Said committee may avail themselves of such plans or parts of plans as they may see fit to use, adopted for similar enlargements of capitol buildings in other States.

In the General Assembly read three times, and ratified this the 4th day of March, A. D. 1903.

In pursuance of said resolution, the undersigned, H. E. Norris, Senator from Wake, was appointed on the committee by the President of the Senate, and A. W. Graham of Granville, and John C. Drewry of Wake, were the members of the House of Representatives selected by the President of that body. These, with the two *ex officio* members designated by the resolution to represent the Executive and Judicial Departments of the State, constituting the committee.

The resolution outlines the general nature of the building, and our duties as stated therein are to "investigate and report to the next General Assembly a plan or plans, together

with the probable cost thereof, for the addition of aforesaid wings." After such investigation, we respectfully recommend the plan drawn by Frank P. Milburn, architect, as in our judgment fulfilling the requirments of the resolution. It provides for a north wing, with a porch facing Halifax street, with a basement for records and storage of books published by the State, the first floor containing rooms for Superintendent of Public Instruction and additional rooms for the Secretary of State and Auditor. The second floor is the new Senate Chamber, with rooms for clerks and officers thereof. The south wing, with a porch giving a front on Fayetteville street, contains a basement for the storage of the archives of the Executive office and Treasury Department, the first floor containing rooms for the Governor and secretaries (whose present rooms can be occupied by the Corporation Commission) and the Treasurer and clerks (whose present rooms can be transferred to the Insurance Commissioner), while the second floor is the new and larger Hall of Representatives. There are large and commodious galleries, and rooms for the clerks, provided for both houses. The present chambers of the two Houses and other space furnishes eighteen commodious committee rooms, which are much needed for the proper dispatch of legislative business.

On the east side a wing is added containing a basement for a heating plant, which will economize the heat now transmitted with considerable loss from a distant building. The basement also contains storage room for fuel and a general toilet room. On the first floor is the State Library, with adjacent room for the Librarian. On the second floor is the Supreme Court room, with rooms for the Judges, a consultation room, rooms for the Clerk, the Marshall and the Attorney-General. On the third floor will be the Supreme Court Library. It proved impracticable to place these rooms over the Senate and House, and this is the only deviation from the terms of the resolution. This wing will be fire-proof through-

out, thus giving security to the exceedingly valuable State Library and Supreme Court Library, which are now exposed to great hazard from fire.

There are two elevators provided and there are toilet rooms on each floor. The dome will be somewhat raised to conform to the greater length of the building.

These plans preserve the present architectural features of the building down to the smallest details, and will, we think, add greatly to its appearance.

The additions will more than double the floor space of the present building, and by the conveniences introduced, as well as the greater space afforded, will make it a modern building, comparing favorably with the new or enlarged capitols of our sister States. The cost will, we learn from the estimates of the architect, not exceed $300,000, and this cost can be somewhat reduced by using stone from the State's quarry (a mile from the Capitol), from which the other stone for the building was taken, and by the use of convicts.

We send with this report an elevation, or large size picture of the Capitol as it will appear with these additions, and detailed floor plans, on a large scale, for your examination. These have been prepared and furnished by Mr. Milburn, the architect, without any charge therefor. Should it be your will to make additions to the buildings to meet the increased requirements of public business, we do not believe that a better or more economical plan can be provided to meet the views expressed in the resolution under which we have acted.

We have the honor to be, gentlemen,

Your obedient servants,

CHARLES B. AYCOCK.
WALTER CLARK.
JOHN C. DREWRY.
A. W. GRAHAM.
H. E. NORRIS.

The above report is referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the Senate takes a recess until 11:57 o'clock.

At 11:57 o'clock the Senate reconvenes.

The President announces that, in accordance with law, the Senate will meet in joint session with the House of Representatives at noon to canvass the vote for State officers.

## Joint Session.

### canvass of vote for state officers.

The hour of noon having arrived, the Senate proceeds to the hall of the House of Representatives, preceded by its officers, where they are received by the members of the House, standing.

The Senators are assigned seats, and the President of the Senate, Honorable W. D. Turner, calls the joint Assembly to order.

The Principal Clerks of the Senate and House call the roll of their respective bodies.

The Principal Clerk of the Senate announces that forty-three Senators are present, and the Principal Clerk of the House announces that one hundred and six members of the House are present.

The President of the Senate thereupon declares a quorum present and the joint Assembly ready to proceed with the canvass of returns for State officers.

The President of the Senate appoints Senators Burton and Miller, Tellers on the part of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House, Hon. O. H. Guion, appoints as Tellers on the part of the House Messrs. Winborne, Finney and Grant.

The announcement of the vote of the several counties of the State is then proceeded with, and at its conclusion the Tellers report as follows:

REPORT OF TELLERS.

*Mr. President and Mr. Speaker:*

Your Tellers, appointed on the part of the Senate and the House of Representatives to tabulate the vote for State officers, counted at the joint meeting of the Senate and House of Representatives on January 10, 1905, beg leave to report that they have performed that duty, and find that the following votes were cast at the election held on the 8th day of November, 1904, for the following persons, to-wit:

FOR GOVERNOR.

Robert B. Glenn received 128,761 votes.
Charles J. Harris received 79,505 votes.
J. M. Templeton received 237 votes.
M. A. Pegram received 109 votes.
C. M. Stedman received 1 vote.
W. D. Turner received 1 vote.
Thomas J. Jarvis received 1 vote.

FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

Francis D. Winston received 127,504 votes.
Isaac M. Meekins received 79,629 votes.
T. M. George received 226 votes.
H. C. Lindsay received 106 votes.
Theo. F. Davidson received 1 vote.
Edwin Mims received 1 vote.
Charles B. Aycock received 1 vote.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.

J. Bryant Grimes received 128,989 votes.
Joseph J. Jenkins received 79,375 votes.
A. C. Sherrill received 218 votes.

FOR STATE AUDITOR.

Benjamin F. Dixon received 128,964 votes.
Frank A. Linney received 79,459 votes.
J. N. Blair received 239 votes.

FOR STATE TREASURER.

Benjamin R. Lacy received 129,024 votes.
Casper C. Bailey received 79,436 votes.
J. A. Bailey received 223 votes.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

James Y. Joyner received 128,975 votes.
Cyrus P. Frazier received 79,436 votes.
F. S. Blair received 226 votes.

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Robert D. Gilmer received 128,983 votes.
William H. Yarborough received 79,437 votes.
Donnell Gilliam received 1 vote.

FOR COMMISSIONER OF LABOR AND PRINTING.

Henry B. Varner received 128,973 votes.
James Y. Hamrick received 79,480 votes.

MEMBER OF NORTH CAROLINA CORPORATION COMMISSION FOR TERM OF SIX YEARS.

Samuel L. Rogers received 128,993 votes.
Delon H. Abbott received 79,459 votes.

FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE.

Samuel L. Patterson received 129,029 votes.
William R. Dixon received 79,432 votes.
F. B. Ingold received 216 votes.

We report that the following persons have received the highest number of votes cast for their respective offices, viz.:

*For Governor*—Robert B. Glenn.

*For Lieutenant-Governor*—Francis D. Winston.

*For Secretary of State*—J. Bryan Grimes.

*For Auditor*—Benjamin F. Dixon.

*For Treasurer*—Benjamin R. Lacy.

*For Superintendent of Public Instruction*—James Y. Joyner.

*For Attorney-General*—Robert D. Gilmer.

*For Commissioner of Agriculture*—Samuel L. Patterson.

*For Commissioner of Labor and Printing*—Henry B. Varner.

*For Member of North Carolina Corporation Commission for Term of Six Years*—Samuel L. Rogers.

And that they should be declared elected.

Respectfully submitted, this January 10, 1905.

K. K. Finney,
A. T. Grant, Jr.,
B. B. Winborne,
*Tellers on the part of the House.*
A. J. Burton,
A. V. Miller,
*Tellers on the part of the Senate.*

At 12:40 o'clock the Senate returns to its chamber, and, on motion of Senator Burton, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

## SEVENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 11, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. M. M. Marshall of this city.

Upon motion of Senator Aaron, the reading of the Journal of yesterday is dispensed with, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Northampton, ex-Senator Calvert of Northampton is accorded the privileges of the floor.

Upon motion of Senator Everett, ex-Senator London of Chatham is accorded the privileges of the floor.

Upon motion of Senator Duls, ex-Senator Alexander of Mecklenburg is accorded the privileges of the floor.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting the following bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. R. 77, S. R. 62, resolution concerning the distribution of one hundred copies of the advance sheets of the Revised Statutes. Referred to Committee on Codification of the Laws.

H. B. 62, S. B. 63, bill to amend chapter 184, Laws of 1885, to enforce better drainage of certain lands in Lincoln County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 89, S. B. 64, bill to make it unlawful to catch fish with traps in the waters of Big and Little Contentnea Creeks in Greene County. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 85, S. B. 68, bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of North Carolina, relative to killing game in Northampton

County. Upon motion of Senator Mason of Northampton, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 100, S. B. 70, bill to amend chapter 157, Private Laws of 1897, extending the corporate limits of Lexington, and also extending the provisions of chapter 4, Public Laws of 1900, adjourned session, to the territory of Lexington as herein set forth. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Burton, S. B. 13, bill to make it a misdemeanor for one partner to appropriate partnership funds or property to his own use, with an unfavorable recommendation.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 2, bill to provide for the erection of memorials at Appomattox Court House, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 35, bill for the relief of C. M. Pace, Clerk of the Superior Court of Henderson County, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Vann, S. B. 14, bill to regulate the sale of cocaine and morphine, with recommendation that it be referred to the Committee on Public Health.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Toms, S. B. 65, bill for the protection of growers of ginseng. Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 66, bill to amend chapter 186, Laws of 1903, relative to working public roads and high-

ways in Halifax County. Upon motion of Senator Thorne, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Ricks, S. B. 67, bill to appoint justices of the peace for Nash County. Upon motion of Senator Ricks, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 69, bill to protect quail in Richmond County. Upon motion of Senator Everett, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

The President of the Senate announces the appointment of additional members of committees as follows:

Senators Ward, Webb and Vann to Committee on Codification of the Laws.

Senator Miller to Committee on Roads.

Senator Boyles to Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senator Boyles to Committee on Penal Institutions.

Senator Wright to Committee on Education.

Senators Long of Iredell and Arendell to Committee on Railroads.

Senator Bryan to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 2, bill to provide for the erection of memorials at Appomattox Court House, upon its second reading.

Bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 13, bill to make it a misdemeanor for one partner to appropriate partnership funds or property to his own use, upon its second reading.

Bill fails to pass.

S. B. 35, bill for the relief of C. M. Pace, Clerk of Superior Court of Henderson County, upon its second reading.

Bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 67, bill to appoint justices of the peace for Nash County, upon its second reading.

Bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 66, bill to amend chapter 186, Laws of 1903, relative to working public roads and highways in Halifax County, upon its second reading.

Senator Scales moves that the bill be referred to committee.

Motion is lost.

Bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

H. B. 85, S. B. 68, bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1903, relative to killing game in Northampton County, upon its second reading.

Bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 69, bill to protect quail in Richmond County, upon its second reading.

Bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 14, bill to regulate the sale of cocaine and morphine.

In accordance with the recommendation of the Judiciary Committee, the bill is referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Upon motion of Senator Gilliam, the Senate takes a recess, to meet in joint session with the House of Representatives to inaugurate the State officers.

## Joint Session.

### INAUGURATION OF STATE OFFICERS.

The Senate and House of Representatives meet in joint session in the Academy of Music at 1:30 o'clock P. M., and

the joint Assembly is called to order by Hon. W. D. Turner, President of the Senate.

Prayer by Rev. J. D. Hufham of Henderson, N. C.

The State officers-elect are presented by Senator Eller, and the oaths of office are administered in turn, as follows:

Hon. Samuel L. Rogers, Member-elect of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

Hon. H. B. Varner, Commissioner-elect of Labor and Printing.

Hon. Samuel L. Patterson, Commissioner-elect of Agriculture.

Hon. R. D. Gilmer, Attorney-General-elect.

Hon. James Y. Joyner, Superintendent-elect of Public Instruction.

Hon. Benjamin F. Dixon, State Auditor-elect.

Hon. Benjamin R. Lacy, State Treasurer-elect.

Hon. J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State-elect.

Hon. Francis D. Winston, Lieutenant-Governor-elect.

Governor Charles B. Aycock presents Hon. Robert B. Glenn, Governor-elect.

And to each of the officers-elect thus presented, the several oaths of office, prescribed by law, are administered to each of them respectively by the Hon. Walter Clark, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, each of whom subscribe to their several oaths.

Retiring Governor Aycock presents his Excellency, Governor Glenn, to the joint Assembly, who thereupon delivers his inaugural address.

The business for which the joint Assembly was convened having been accomplished, it is thereupon declared by President Turner adjourned, and the Senate returns to its chamber.

The Senate having returned to its chamber, it is called to order by President Turner, who presents Lieutenant-Governor Francis D. Winston in the following words:

*Senators:*

I am grateful for the uniform courtesy you have shown me as your presiding officer. In obedience to the Constitution and the mandates of the people, I now surrender this emblem of authority to Lieutenant-Governor Francis D. Winston.

Lieutenant-Governor Winston, on taking the chair, addresses the Senate as follows:

*Senators:*

I succeed in office a gentleman who has made as much reputation, and deservedly so, as any man who has ever presided over this Senate. He has performed the delicate duties of that office with due regard for the public interests and with a special regard for the interest and feeling of every member of this Senate and the previous Senates over which he has presided. He has set me a high standard of official duty which I cannot hope to excel, and can but feebly expect to approach. I shall enforce the rules of your own selection. I shall enforce them faithfully and impartially, inviting your co-operation in that regard. I await the further wishes of this Senate.

After expressions of welcome to President Winston and of appreciation of the services of the retiring President by Senators Aaron, Webb and Zollicoffer, Senator Odell introduces the following resolution:

*Resolved,* That the thanks of the Senate are tendered to Hon. W. D. Turner, retiring President of the Senate, for the courtesy, ability, fidelity and impartiality with which he has presided over this body.

The resolution is unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

Mr. Turner addresses the Senate as follows:

I am profoundly grateful for the kind words that have been spoken and for the resolution, and I assure the Senators that in my future course in life I will long remember them, each and all, as my own personal friends.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting the following bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. R. 111, resolution to appoint a committee of five on the part of the House and three on the part of the Senate to wait upon Governor Glenn and notify him that the General Assembly is in session, and ready to receive any communication he may desire at any time to make.

The resolution is adopted, and the President appoints Senators Mason of Northampton, Turner and Arendell as committee on part of the Senate provided for in above resolution.

Upon motion of Senator Odell, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## EIGHTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 12, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. C. L. Reed of this city.

The Journal of yesterday is partially read, and, upon motion of Senator Toms, the further reading of the Journal is dispensed with and the same stands approved.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Coxe, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 85, S. B. 68, bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the killing of game in Northampton County.

Senator Mason of Northampton, for the Committee to wait upon the Governor, reports that the Governor presents his respects to the members of the Senate, and that he will communicate with the Senate in writing later.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Webb, S. R. 81, resolution for the appointment of a committee to investigate the number of Senate employees.

The resolution is adopted and referred to Committee on Rules.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 71, bill to permit married women to make contracts. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Webb, S. R. 72, resolution in regard to Committee on Daily Journal. Referred to Committee on Rules.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 73, bill to amend graded school law of the town of Hendersonville. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 74, bill to repeal section 67 of chapter 247, Public Laws of 1903, known as the merchants' tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 75, bill to regulate pay of jurors in Craven County. Upon motion of Senator Ward, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 76, bill to amend chapter 110, Public Laws of 1883, entitled an act for the protection of crops in certain localities. Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator Bragaw, S. R. 82, resolution in regard to Committee on Liquor Traffic. Referred to Committee on Rules.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 77, bill to abolish Neuse River in No. 3 Township, Craven County, as a lawful fence. Upon motion of Senator Ward, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Northampton, H. R. 77, S. R. 62, resolution in regard to distribution of one hundred copies of advance sheets of the Revised Statutes, is recalled from Committee on Codification of the Laws and placed upon the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 66, S. B. 78, bill to amend chapter 257, Private Laws of 1901, in relation to an election for bond issue and reduction of the poll tax of the town of Mooresville, Iredell County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 97, S. B. 79, bill to authorize Board of Commissioners of Lincoln County to change the site of the County Home. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 101, S. B. 80, bill to re-enact the law relative to the collection of taxes in Person County. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 75, bill to regulate the pay of jurors in Craven County, upon its second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed.

S. B. 77, bill to abolish Neuse River in No. 3 Township, Craven County, as a lawful fence, upon its second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives asking the return of H. B. 101, S. B. 80, bill to re-enact the law relating to the collection of taxes in Person County.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Person, the bill is recalled from the Committee on Finance and returned to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Turner, leave of absence is granted Senator Watkins until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Stubbs, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## NINTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 13, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Vann of this city.

The Journal of yesterday is partially read, and upon motion of Senator Aaron the further reading of the Journal is dispensed with, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Northampton, leave of absence is granted Senator Grady until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Northampton, leave of absence is granted Senator Thorne until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Ward, leave of absence is granted Senator Fleming until Thursday.

Upon motion of Senator Coxe, leave of absence is granted Senator Toms until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Aaron, leave of absence is granted Senator Jones until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator McLean, leave of absence is granted Senator Williams until Monday.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Scales, S. B. 18, bill to amend chapter 646, Laws of 1903, to provide for paying stenographer for Craven County, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 17, bill to amend section 650 of The Code, to provide for appeals in contempt cases. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 19, bill to amend section 648 of The Code, to provide for appeals in contempt cases. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 16, bill to repeal chapter 675 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to game laws in Cabarrus County, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 20, bill to make the office of bank cashier a continuing office, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 26, bill to bar power of sale in mortgages, mortgage trust deeds, deeds in trust, etc., when the debt secured thereby is barred. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

Senator Wright asks permission to withdraw the bill. Permission is granted, and the bill is withdrawn.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 21, bill to repeal chapter 513, Public Laws of 1899, with recommendation that it be referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted and the bill is referred to the Committe on Propositions and Grievances.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Boddie, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills and resolutions are correctly engrossed, and they are ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 75, bill to regulate the pay of jurors in Craven County.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Burton, S. B. 60, bill to amend charter of the Statesville Air Line Railroad Company, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 33, bill to incorporate Sanford and River Valley Railroad Company. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Jones, S. B. 38, bill to amend charter of the town of Salem, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 77, bill to abolish Neuse River in No. 3 Township, Craven County, as a lawful fence, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 97, S. B. 79, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Lincoln County to change site of County Home, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Health:

By Senator Shaw, S. B. 14, bill to regulate the sale of cocaine and morphine. The committee reports a substitute and recomends its adoption.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, which are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. R. 77, S. R. 62, resolution concerning the distribution of one hundred copies of the advance sheets of the Revised Statutes.

From the Committee on Rules:

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 72, resolution in regard to Committee on Daily Journal, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. R. 82, resolution in regard to Committee on Liquor Traffic, with an unfavorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, S. R. 83, resolution in regard to Committee on Immigration, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, S. R. 81, resolution in regard to investigating the number of Senate employees, with report of the committee.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolution, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 81, S. B. 93, bill for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 101, S. B. 80, bill to re-enact law relating to collection of taxes in Person County. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Upon motion, Senator Webb withdraws report of committee submitted with S. R. 81, resolution in regard to investigating the number of Senate employees, for the purpose of making an amendment thereto.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives asking for the return to that body of H. B. 100, S. B. 70, bill to amend chapter 157, Private Laws of 1897, extending the corporate limits of Lexington, and extending the provisions of chapter 4, Public Laws of 1900, adjourned session, to the territory of Lexington as herein set out.

Without objection, the bill is recalled from the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns and returned to the House of Representatives.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are submitted and disposed of as follows:

Petition from members of Daughters of the Revolution in North Carolina relative to the establishment of a Hall of Records. Referred to the Committee on Libraries.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator McLean, S. B. 84, bill to incorporate the Durham and South Carolina Railroad Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 86, bill to amend section 1357 of The Code, relative to the taking of depositions. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 86, bill to amend section 9, chapter 640, Public Laws of 1901, so as to make it indictable for one partner to convert the partnership property. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 87, bill to make it a felony for one partner to willfully and fraudulently appropriate partnership funds or property to his own use with intent to cheat and defraud his company, partner or company partners. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Bryan, S. B. 88, bill to protect game in Madison County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 89, bill to protect keepers of livery stables. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 90, bill to enable a married man whose wife is insane or a lunatic to convey his land free of dower, etc., upon certificate of superintendent of asylum. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message from his Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn, is received and read. The message is referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

is resumed.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 91, bill to require the churches, school-houses, barns and pack-houses in certain territory in Pitt County to be closed so as to prevent hogs and other stock from going and resting under them. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 92, bill to appoint W. J. McCrary and D. B. McLean justices of the peace for Quewhiffle Township, Cumberland County. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 94, bill to prevent the manufacture, sale or shipment of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the county of Richmond. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Alexander, S. B. 95, bill to appoint justice of the peace for Sulphur Springs Township, Rutherford County. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Ricks, S. B. 96, bill to amend section 2, chapter 779, Public Laws of 1903, relative to hunting in Nash County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 77, bill to abolish Neuse River in No. 3 Township, Craven County, as a lawful fence, upon its third reading.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 14, bill to regulate the sale of cocaine and morphine, upon its second reading.

The substitute offered by the committee is adopted.

Senator Webb moves to amend:

Amend by adding after the word "morphine" the following: "to any person known by person selling it to be habitually addicted to the use of same."

The amendment is lost.

Senator Zollicoffer moves to amend:

Amend by inserting before the word "provided" in section one, "except in cases of emergency and in the absence of a physician."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Burton moves to amend:

Amend by adding after the word "refilled" in line five of section one the words "nor shall this act apply when sold by licensed druggists."

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 63, S. B. 97, bill to re-establish the office of treasurer of Sampson County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 64, S. B. 98, bill authorizing the Commissioners of Sampson County to carry to the general fund of the county the surplus, if any, in the hands of the county treasurer, collected under chapter 329 of the Public Laws of 1897, after paying off the bonds and interest thereon issued under said act. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 115, S. B. 99, bill to amend the charter of the town of Ayden, Pitt County, N. C. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

S. B. 15, bill to repeal chapter 675 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to game laws in Cabarrus County, upon its second reading.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 17, bill to amend section 650 of The Code, to provide for appeals in contempt cases, upon its second reading.

Amendment of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 18, bill to amend chapter 646, Laws of 1903, to provide for paying stenographers for Craven County, upon its second reading.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 19, bill to amend section 648 of The Code, to provide for appeals in contempt cases, upon its second reading.

Amendment of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

S. B. 20, bill to make the office of bank cashier a continuing office, upon its second reading.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 33, bill to incorporate the Sanford and River Valley Railroad Company, upon its second reading.

Amendments of the committee are adopted.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 97, S. B. 79, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Lincoln County to change the site of the County Home, upon its second reading.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 38, bill to amend charter of the Town of Salem, upon its second reading.

The bill passes its second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe,

Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

S. B. 60, bill to amend the charter of the Statesville Air Line Railroad Company, authorizing cities, counties and towns to subscribe to the stock under certain conditions, upon its second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Everett, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Odell, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Wright and Zollicoffer—38.

S. R. 72, resolution in regard to Committee on Daily Journal.

Resolution is adopted.

S. R. 81, resolution in regard to committee to investigate number of Senate employees.

The Committee submits the following report:

The Committee on Rules, to whom was referred Senate Resolution 81, relative to the number of employees of the Senate, report as follows: We attach hereto a list of all the employees of the Senate, showing salaries paid. The total number of employees who receive $4 per day is nine; the number receiving $2.50 per day is fifteen; and the number receiving $1 per day is eight. There are three assistants to the Principal Clerk, and, at present, no assistant to the Engrossing Clerk. There are thirteen laborers and nine pages.

We also report that the number of employees at this time is not in excess of the number necessary to do the work of the Senate, and that no others are necessary.

The report is accepted.

S. R. 82, resolution in regard to Committee on Liquor Traffic.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, the resolution is tabled.

S. R. 83, resolution to establish Committee on Immigration.

Resolution is adopted.

Upon motion, Senator Stringfield is permitted to withdraw S. B. 45, bill to repeal part of chapter 365, Private Laws of 1903.

Senator Webb asks to be excused from service on the Committee on Codification of the Laws. He is excused by the President, and Senator Sinclair is appointed on said committee.

Upon motion of Senator Beasley, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## TENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 14, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. A. H. Moment of this city.

The Journal of yesterday is partially read, and upon motion of Senator Coxe, the further reading of the Journal is dispensed with and the same stands approved.

The President announces the appointment of Senators Long of Iredell, McLean and Crisp as Committee on the Daily Journal.

Upon motion of Senator Wright, leave of absence is granted Senator Sinclair until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Person, leave of absence is granted Senator Turrentine until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Zollicoffer, leave of absence is granted Senator Boddie until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Arendell, leave of absence is granted Senator Ward until Monday.

The President announces that Senator Empie has been added to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 68, S. B. 100, bill to repeal chapter 762, Public Laws of 1903. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 43, S. B. 101, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Stokes County to apply the surplus of funds now in the hands of R. P. Joyce, ex-Sheriff of Stokes County, collected as taxes in Sauratown Township, to pay the principal and interest in subscription to the capital stock of the Roanoke and Southern Railway Company, for repairing bridges in said township. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. R. 112, S. R. 102, resolution to print Governor Glenn's inaugural address. Placed upon the Calendar.

### ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Beasley, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 74, S. B. 4, bill to extend the time for registering grants and to cure certain registration.

H. B. 97, S. B. 79, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Lincoln County to change the site of the County Home.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Coxe, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as correctly engrossed, which is ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 33, bill to incorporate the Sanford and River Valley Railway Company.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Bragaw, bill to prevent the manufacture, sale and shipment of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors within the county of Richmond, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turner, S. B. 21, bill to repeal chapter 513, Public Laws of 1899.

The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 88, bill to protect game in Madison County, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, petition from the citizens of Pitt County asking the passage of a bill to require the churches, school-houses, barns and pack-houses of certain territory in Pitt County to be enclosed, so as to prevent hogs and other stock from going and resting under them.

The committee reports the petition without prejudice, and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Education.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted, and the petition is so referred.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 62, S. B. 63, bill to amend chapter 184, Laws of 1885, to enforce better drainage of certain lands in Lincoln County.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Shaw, S. B. 96, bill to amend section 2, chapter 779, Public Laws of 1903, relating to hunting in Nash County, with a favorable recommendation.

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Duls, S. B. 107, bill to amend section 16, chapter 16, Private Laws of 1903, relating to Charlotte Carnegie Library. Referred to Committee on Libraries.

By Senator Mason of Northampton, S. B. 108, bill for the relief of George W. Johnson of Northampton County, and to place him upon the pension roll of disabled soldiers. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Alexander, S. B. 109, bill to fix compensation of jurors in Rutherford County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Alexander, S. B. 110, bill to prevent hunting on the lands of another in Rutherford Township, Rutherford County, without permission. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 111, bill to impose a penalty upon telegraph companies for the non-delivery of messages. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 112, bill for the relief of J. T. Gaddy, ex-Sheriff of Anson County. Referred to Committee on Finance.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 38, bill to amend charter of the town of Salem, upon its third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Everett, Fleming, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, McCulloch, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Turner, Vann, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 60, bill to amend charter of the Statesville Air Line Railroad Company, authorizing counties, cities and towns to subscribe to the stock under certain conditions, upon its third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Turner, Vann, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 94, bill to prevent the manufacture, sale and shipment of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors within the county of Richmond, upon its second reading.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon request, Senator Coxe is excused from voting upon the bill.

H. R. 112, S. R. 102, resolution to print Governor Glenn's inaugural address.

The resolution is concurred in, and ordered enrolled.

S. B. 96, bill to amend section 2, chapter 779, Public Laws of 1903, relating to hunting in Nash County, upon its second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 62, S. B. 63, bill to amend chapter 184, Laws of 1885, to enforce better drainage of certain lands in Lincoln County, upon second reading.

Amendment of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 88, bill to protect game in Madison County, upon its second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 21, bill to repeal chapter 513 of the Public Laws of 1899, upon second reading.

Amendment of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

Upon motion of Senator McCulloch, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

## ELEVENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 16, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. R. F. Bumpas of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Person, leave of absence is granted Senator Odell until Friday.

### ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Coxe, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills and resolutions are correctly engrossed, and they are ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 14, bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of cocoaine and morphine.

S. B. 19, bill to amend section 649 of The Code, to provide for appeals in contempt cases.

S. B. 21, bill to repeal chapter 513, Public Laws of 1889, relative to the sale of liquors on the Atlantic Hotel property in Morehead City, N. C.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Burton, S. B. 84, bill to incorporate the Durham and South Carolina Railroad Company, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 11, bill to incorporate the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway Company.

The Committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 138, S. B. 103, bill to amend chapter 107, Private Laws of 1883, giving the intendant of police, or chief officer, jurisdiction of a justice of the peace in all matters made criminal by said act. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 84, S. B. 104, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Rutherford County to levy and collect special taxes. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 137, S. B. 105, bill to amend chapter 47, Private Laws of 1879, giving the intendant of police, or chief officer, jurisdiction of a justice of the peace in all matters made criminal by said act. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 16, S. B. 106, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Stokes County to levy special taxes. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 23, S. B. 113, bill to appoint J. E. Shields a justice of the peace for Scotland Neck Township, Halifax County. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

H. B. 65, S. B. 114, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson County to sell real estate and for other purposes. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 80, S. B. 115, bill concerning working the public roads of Lincoln County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Turner, memorial of the Western North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, in regard to the passage of a bill regulating divorce. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Ward, S. B. 116, bill to amend section 505 of The Code of 1883, in relation to homestead. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Ward, S. R. 117, resolution adopting additional rules for the Senate. Referred to Committee on Rules.

By Senator Eller, by request, S. B. 118, bill to appoint J. A. Pierce a justice of the peace in Wilkes County, and to permit him to practice law. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 119, bill to amend chapter 382, Public Laws of 1903, providing for the election of trustees of Cross Creek Graded Schools in Cumberland County. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 120, bill to provide for registering names and placing tombstones or marks on the graves of deceased veterans in every county in the State. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 11, bill to incorporate the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway Company, upon its second reading.

Amendment of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McLean, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Vann, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

S. B. 84, bill to incorporate the Durham and South Carolina Railroad Company, upon its second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

The President of the Senate announces the following Committee on Immigration:

Senator Eller, Chairman; Senators Bragaw, Thorne, Ward, Ricks, Foushee, McCulloch, Everett, Duls, Bryan.

The President of the Senate announces the addition of Senator Moore to the Committee on Insane Asylums, and Senator Beasley to the Committee on Education.

Upon motion of Senator Wright, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## TWELFTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 17, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Bishop of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, leave of absence is granted Senator Duls from Monday morning until Thursday.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports from standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Boyles, S. B. 76, bill to amend chapter 110, Public Laws of 1883, for the protection of crops in certain localities, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Boyles, petition from citizens of Northampton County for the passage of a law taxing dogs in that county, with recommendation that it be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the bill is referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Boyles, S. B. 65, bill for the protection of ginseng, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Finance:

By Senator Long of Person, H. B. 97, S. B. 63, bill to re-establish the office of treasurer of Sampson County, with recommendation that it be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted, and the bill is referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Long of Person, H. B. 101, S. B. 80, bill to re-enact the law relative to the collection of taxes in Person County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Zollicoffer, H. B. 81, S. B. 93, bill for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 128, bill to amend charter

of Chapel Hill Trolley Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 129, bill to amend section 1723 of The Code, relative to exemption from jury service, and providing that all persons over sixty years of age shall not be required to serve as jurors. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Grady, S. B. 130, bill to amend section 2, chapter 205, Laws of 1862, so as to increase the corporate limits of the town of Clinton. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Mason of Northampton, S. B. 131, bill to amend sections 4 and 10, Public Laws of 1903, for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows, so as to authorize the County Board of Pensions to extend the provisions of said act. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Turner, S. B. 132, bill for the better government of the North Carolina Institution for the Education of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind. Referred to Committee on Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylums.

By Senator Turner, S. B. 133, bill for the benefit of the North Carolina Institution for the Education of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind. Referred to Committee on Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylums.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 134, bill to prevent the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the town of Scotland Neck and adjacent territory. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 135, bill to amend chapter 79, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the Commissioner of Wrecks. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 136, bill to amend chapter 313, Public Laws 1903, in regard to the terms of Superior Courts of Rockingham County. Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 137, bill to amend chapter 89, Public Laws 1901, in regard to elections. Referred to Committee on Elections.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 138, bill to appoint Columbus F. Morrison and John F. Caffey justices of the peace in Wilkes County. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Alexander, S. R. 139, resolution relative to the improvement of the postal service. Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Senator Grady, S. B. 150, bill to allow the commissioners of the town of Clinton to levy an extra tax of twenty-five cents in addition to the levy now authorized by law. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 151, bill to amend chapter 169, Public Laws of 1903, to protect water supply. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 152, bill to authorize removal of actions when justices of the peace die or become incapacitated before final determination of the action. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 153, bill to provide fire-escapes and protect human life. Referred to Committee on Insurance.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Williams, petition to provide for inducing emigrants to come south as mill operators. Referred to Committee on Immigration.

By Senator Scales, petition to restore name of Bruce Township, Guilford County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Zollicoffer, petition relative to amendment of divorce laws, from committee of the Methodist Protestant Church. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Beasley, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. R. 112, S. R. 102, resolution to print Governor Glenn's inaugural address.

H. B. 75, S. B. 29, bill to repeal the Henderson County road law, and to enact a new one in said county.

H. B. 52, S. B. 37, bill for the protection of fish in the lakes of Bladen County.

H. B. 62, S. B. 63, bill to amend chapter 184, Public Laws of 1885, to enforce better drainage of certain lands in Lincoln County.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 100, S. B. 70, bill to amend chapter 157, Private Laws of 1897, extending the corporate limits of Lexington, and also extending the provisions of chapter 4, Public Laws of 1900, adjourned session, to the territory of Lexington as herein set out. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 121, S. B. 140, bill to amend chapter 150, Laws of 1901, to prohibit hunting on lands of another in Montgomery County, without consent in writing. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 40, S. B. 141, bill to amend section 2 of chapter 147, Laws of 1885, to extend the time for proof of deeds. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 175, S. B. 142, bill to change the township boundary line between Scotch-Irish and Unity Townships in Rowan County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 114, S. B. 143, bill to amend chapter 569, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the public roads of Warren Township, Anson County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 149, S. B. 144, bill to change the name of the Baptist Female University of North Carolina to Baptist University for Women. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 126, S. B. 145, bill to incorporate Rhodhiss Graded School in Caldwell County.

Upon motion of Senator Miller, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 117, S. B. 146, bill to amend the charter of the town of Littleton in the counties of Halifax and Warren. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 93, S. B. 147, bill to amend chapter 581, Laws of 1899, relating to the road law of the townships of River, Judkins and Hawtree, and appointing road commissioners for said townships in Warren County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 116, S. B. 148, bill to incorporate the town of Macon in Warren County. Referred to Committtee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 145, S. B. 149, bill to incorporate Granite Falls Graded School.

Upon motion of Senator Miller, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 19, S. B. 121, bill to repeal charter of the town of Hexlena. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 108, S. B. 122, bill to amend chapter 448, Laws of 1899, permitting the election of Commissioners of Bertie County by a vote of the people. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 150, S. B. 123, bill to regulate the killing of deer in Person, Granville and Vance counties. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 92, S. B. 124, bill to provide for election of county commissioners and justices of the peace for Warren County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 41, S. B. 125, bill to amend section 3, chapter 318, Public Laws of 1889. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 31, S. B. 126, bill to prevent injustice by hasty and improvident orders and injunctions without notice. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 131, S. B. 2, bill to provide for the erection of memorials at Appomattox Court House. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 11, bill to incorporate the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway Company, upon its third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Ellington, Grady, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, McCulloch, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 131, S. B. 2, bill to provide for the erection of memorials at Appomattox Court House, upon concurrence in House amendment.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Northampton, the bill is placed upon the Calendar until the return of Senator Everett.

H. B. 81, S. B. 93, bill for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors, upon its second reading.

Amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 101, S. B. 80, bill to re-enact the law relating to the collection of taxes in Person County, upon its second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 65, bill for the protection of growers of ginseng, upon its second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 76, bill to amend chapter 110, Public Laws of 1883, for the protection of crops in certain localities, upon its second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Turrentine, S. B. 42, bill to amend chapter 321, Public Laws of 1903, is withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary and referred to the Committee on Education.

Upon motion of Senator Coxe, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

## THIRTEENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 18, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. G. W. Harding of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Everett, leave of absence is granted Senator Mason of Northampton on account of sickness.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, ex-Senator John E. Woodard is accorded the privileges of the floor.

Upon motion of Senator Everett, ex-Senator Cameron F. Morrison and Hon. Settle Dockery are accorded the privileges of the floor.

Upon motion, Senator Coxe is permitted to withdraw S. B. 47, bill to amend section 192 of The Code, from the consideration of the Senate.

Upon motion, Senator Toms is permitted to withdraw S. B. 43, bill to supply Clerk of the Superior Court of Henderson County with certain books and to have certain books rebound, from the consideration of the Senate.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports from standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Eller, S. B. 56, bill to regulate challenges in criminal cases, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 55, bill to amend section 1022 of The Code, in reference to escapes, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 40, bill to punish assaults upon women with intent to have carnal knowledge of them, with an unfavorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 34, bill to make the punishment discretionary in cases of conviction for simple assault upon indictment for assault with intent to commit rape, with an unfavorable recommendation.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 71, bill to permit married women to make contracts, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 58, bill to regulate proceedings in criminal cases, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 57, bill in regard to judgments, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 42, bill to amend chapter 21, Public Laws of 1903, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Grady, H. B. 149, S. B. 144, bill to change the name of the Baptist Female University of North Carolina to the Baptist University for Women, with a favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Burton, S. B. 111, bill to impose a penalty upon telegraph companies for non-delivery of messages, with recommendation that it be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted, and the bill is so referred.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Jones, H. B. 100, S. B. 70, bill to amend chapter 67, Private Laws of 1897, extending the corporate limits of Lexington, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 130, bill to amend section 2, chapter 205, Laws of 1852, so as to increase the corporate

limits of the town of Clinton, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 150, bill to allow the commissioners of the town of Clinton to levy an extra tax of twenty-five cents in addition to the tax authorized by law, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Watkins, H. B. 16, S. B. 106, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Stokes County to levy a special tax, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 64, S. B. 98, bill authorizing the Commissioners of Sampson County to carry to the general fund of the county the surplus, if any, in the hands of the county treasurer, collected under chapter 329, Public Laws of 1897, after paying out the bonds and interest thereon issued under said act, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 19, S. B. 121, bill to repeal the charter of the town of Hexlena.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 108, S. B. 122, bill to amend chapter 488, Laws of 1899, permitting the election of Commissioners of Bertie County by a vote of the people.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Justices of the Peace:

By Senator Aaron, H. B. 23, S. B. 113, bill to appoint J. E. Shields a justice of the peace for Scotland Neck Township, Halifax County, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 138, bill to appoint Columbus F. Morrison and John B. Caffey justices of the peace in Wilkes County, with a favorable recommendation.

## ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Toms, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill, which is ordered to be sent to

the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 11, bill to incorporate the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway Company.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Beasley, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 131, S. B. 2, bill to provide for the erection of memorials at Appomattox Court House.

H. B. 101, S. B. 80, bill to re-enact the law relating to the collection of taxes in Person County.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Ellington, petition from North Carolina Baptist State Convention concerning divorce laws. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Scales, petition from the citizens of Advance, relative to the sale of whiskey in that town. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Burton, S. B. 154, bill to amend chapter 424, Public Laws of 1887, in regard to Reidsville School District in Rockingham County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 155, bill to amend section 69, chapter 247, Public Laws of 1903, relating to tax on dealers in fire-works. Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 156, bill to appoint W. E. Spruill a justice of the peace in Halifax County. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Bryan, S. B. 157, bill to amend chapter 358, Laws of 1903, relative to dispensary in the town of Marshall. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Beasley, by request, S. B. 158, bill directing the State Treasurer to cancel certain bonds and return the same to the County of Alexander. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 159, bill to prevent the manufacture, sale or shipment of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the town of Advance in Davie County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 160, bill to amend section 1727 of The Code, relating to the number of jurors to be drawn for the second week of the Superior Court of Iredell County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 161, bill to prohibit cities and towns not having two hundred qualified voters from issuing license to any person, firm or corporation for the purpose of selling or manufacturing spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within its corporate limits. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 162, bill to amend chapter 186, Public Laws of 1901, relating to executors and administrators of deceased mortgagees and trustees. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 163, bill to provide a place for the Insurance Department and the Department of Public Instruction, and the safe-keeping of State records. Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 164, bill to amend chapter 214, Public Laws of 1893, relating to the Board of Health. Referred to Committee of Public Health.

By Senator Williams, S. B. 166, bill to authorize G. R. McCain, ex-Sheriff of Stanly County, to collect back taxes. Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Scales, S. R. 166, resolution concerning adjournment. Referred to Committee on Rules.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 233, S. B. 167, bill to appoint two justices of the peace for Anson County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 144, S. B. 168, bill to confer on justices of the peace jurisdiction to try and determine offenses of unlawfully riding on railroads. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 224, S. B. 169, bill to amend chapter 125, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the killing of deer in Montgomery County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 202, S. B. 170, bill to repeal certain portions of section 18, chapter 113, Private Laws of 1903, relating to the erection, maintenance or continuation of livery stables in the town of Brevard, Transylvania County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 182, S. B. 33, bill to incorporate the Sanford and River Valley Railroad. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 34, S. B. 10, bill to regulate the manufacture of whiskey in the city of Asheville. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 158, S. B. 75, bill to regulate the pay of jurors summoned on special venire in capital cases in Craven County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 182, S. B. 73, bill to incorporate the Sanford and River Valley Railroad Company, upon concurrence in House amendment.

The Senate fails to concur in the amendment.

Upon motion of Senator McLean, a message is sent to the House of Representatives asking for a conference.

H. B. 34, S. B. 10, bill to regulate the manufacture of whiskey within the city of Asheville, upon concurrence in House amendment.

Amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 125, S. B. 149, bill to incorporate Granite Falls Graded Schools, upon its second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 44, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—44

H. B. 126, S. B. 145, bill to incorporate Rhodhiss Graded Schools in Caldwell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of

Gaston, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

S. B. 150, bill to allow the commissioners of the town of Clinton to levy an extra tax of twenty-five cents in addition to the tax allowed by law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 44, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—44.

H. B. 100, S. B. 70, bill to amend chapter 157, Private Laws of 1897, extending the corporate limits of Lexington, and also extending the provisions of chapter 4, Public Laws of 1900, adjourned session, to the territory of Lexington as herein set out, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

H. B. 15, S. B. 106, bill to allow the County Commissioners of Stokes County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 44, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—44.

S. B. 130, bill to amend section 2, chapter 205, Public Laws of 1852, so as to increase the corporate limits of the town of Clinton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 131, S. B. 2, bill to provide for the erection of memorials at Appomattox Court House, upon concurrence in House amendment.

The amendment is concurred in, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 23, S. B. 113, bill to appoint J. E. Shields a justice of the peace for Scotland Neck Township, Halifax County, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

H. B. 64, S. B. 98, bill authorizing the Commissioners of Sampson County to carry to the general fund of the county the surplus, if any, in the hands of the county treasurer, collected under chapter 329 of the Public Laws of 1897, after paying off the bonds and interest thereon issued under said act, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 34, bill to make the punishment discretionary in certain cases of conviction for simple assault upon indictment for assault with intent to commit rape, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the bill is tabled.

S. B. 40, bill to punish assaults upon women with intent to have carnal knowledge of them, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the bill is tabled.

S. B. 42, bill to amend chapter 321, Public Laws of 1903, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 57, bill in regard to judgments, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 58, bill to regulate proceedings in criminal cases, upon second reading.

Senator Wright moves to amend:

Amend by adding: *Provided,* this act does not apply to the Tenth Judicial District.

The amendment is lost.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 149, S. B. 144, bill to change the name of the Baptist Female University of North Carolina to Baptist University for Women, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 55, bill to amend section 1022 of The Code, in reference to escapes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 56, bill to regulate challenges in civil cases, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 108, S. B. 122, bill to amend chapter 488, Laws of 1899, permitting the election of Commissioners of Bertie County by vote of the people, upon second reading.

Amendment of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 19, S. B. 121, bill to repeal charter of the town of Hexlena in Bertie County, upon second reading.

Amendment of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment..

H. B. 233, S. B. 167, bill to appoint two justices of the peace for Anson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 71, bill to permit married women to make contracts, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Gilliam, the bill is made a special order for next Wednesday, January 25th, at 12 o'clock.

Senator Burton offers the following resolution:

*Resolved,* That all bills which have received an unfavorable report from the committee shall be ordered by the President to lie upon the table, unless some Senator shall request otherwise.

Referred to the Committee on Rules.

The President announces that Senator Webb has been added to the Committee on Finance.

Upon motion of Senator Bragaw, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

## FOURTEENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 19, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. McNeely Du Bose, of St. Mary's School.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Iredell, the privileges of the floor are accorded ex-Senator McIntyre of Robeson County and ex-Senator McLaughlin of Iredell County.

Upon motion of Senator Wright, leave of absence is granted Senator Shaw until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, leave of absence is granted the members of the subcommittee of the Committee on Education to visit the State Institutions of Education—Senators Bragaw, Boddie, McCulloch, Grady, Pearson, Long.

Upon motion of Senator Bragaw, leave of absence is granted Senator Scales, chairman of the above committee.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Jones, H. B. 202, S. B. 170, bill to repeal certain portions of section 18, chapter 113, Private Laws of 1903, relating to the erection, maintenance, or continuation of livery stables in the town of Brevard, Transylvania County, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 224, S. B. 169, bill to amend chapter 125, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the killing of deer in Montgomery County, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 135, bill to amend chapter 79, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the Commissioner of Wrecks, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator McLean, H. B. 43, S. B. 101, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Stokes County to apply the overplus of funds now in the hands of R. P. Joyce, ex-Sheriff of Stokes County, collected as taxes from Sauratown Township, to pay the principal and interest on subscription to the capital stock of the Roanoke and Southern Railroad Company, for repairing bridge in said township, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 151, bill to amend chapter 169, Public Laws of 1903, to protect water supplies, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 157, bill to amend chapter 358, Laws of 1903, relative to dispensary in the town of Marshall, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Taylor, H. B. 150, S. B. 123, bill to regulate the killing of deer in Person, Granville and Vance Counties, with a favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Vann, H. B. 158, S. B. 75, bill to regulate the pay of jurors summoned on special venire in capital cases in Craven County, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 7, bill to provide for the cancellation of mortgages given in lieu of bond for appearance in criminal proceedings, or for security of costs, or fine in criminal actions. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 85, bill to amend section 1357 of The Code, relative to taking depositions, with an unfavorable recommendation.

By Senator Boddie, S. B. 86, bill to amend section 9, chapter 640, Public Laws of 1901, so as to make it indictable for

one partner to convert the partnership property, with an unfavorable recommendation.

Upon request, Senator Wright is permitted to withdraw the bill from the consideration of the Senate.

By Senator Boddie, S. B. 87, bill to make it a felony for one partner to willfully and fraudulently appropriate partnership funds or property to his own use with intent to cheat and defraud his copartner or copartners. The bill is reported back to the Senate without action.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Ellington, H. B. 80, S. B. 115, bill concerning the working of public roads in Lincoln County, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 114, S. B. 143, bill to amend chapter 569, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the public roads of Morven Township, Anson County, with a favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Judicial Districts:

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 136, bill to amend chapter 313, Public Laws of 1903, in regard to the terms of the Superior Court of Rockingham County, with a favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Rules:

By Senator Webb, S. R. 117, resolution adopting additional rules for the Senate, with a favorable recommendation.

## ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Alexander, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as correctly engrossed, which is ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 138, bill to appoint Columbus F. Morrison and John R. Caffey justices of the peace in Wilkes County.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 81, S. B. 93, bill for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors.

The House of Representatives refuses to concur in the Senate amendment, and asks for a conference committee.

H. B. 37, S. B. 24, bill to amend chapter 58, Public Laws of 1903, by bringing Rowan County within the provisions of said chapter, and to require stenographers to faithfully perform their duties. Substitute for S. B. 24, bill to provide stenographers for Rowan County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 159, S. B. 77, bill to abolish Neuse River in No. 3 Township, Craven County, as a lawful fence, with an amendment by the House.

The amendment of the House is concurred in, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 287, S. B. 171, bill to amend chapter 374, Public Laws of 1893, relating to the appointment of aides-de-camp to the Commander-in-Chief.

The bill is placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 58, S. B. 172, bill to repeal chapter 736, Public Laws of 1901, separating the Sylva and Dillsboro Public School Districts for the colored race in Jackson County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 165, S. B. 173, bill for the relief of Piedmont Land and Manufacturing Company, directing the Sheriff of Rockingham County to pay said company the sum of $12 for supplies furnished School District No. 7 of Madison Township, Rockingham County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 174, S. B. 174, bill to repeal chapter 162, Private Acts of 1903, authorizing the Town Commissioners of Pinebluff, Moore County, N. C., to provide the necessary funds for advertising the town as a desirable winter resort. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 162, S. B. 175, bill to exempt the town of Fountain in Pitt County from the operation of a certain act prohibiting the sale of liquor within two miles of Lang's Schoolhouse. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 164, S. B. 176, bill to amend section 1, of chapter 276, Public Laws of 1903, making it unlawful to sell or dispose of for gain any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one mile of the churches in Columbus County named in said section. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 172, S. B. 191, bill to regulate working public roads in Ashe County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 169, S. B. 192, bill to prevent fast driving over the public bridges in Randolph County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 178, S. B. 193, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Brunswick County to levy a special tax. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 47, S. B. 194, bill to fix the levying and collecting taxes in Madison County. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Miller, by request, S. B. 177, bill to prevent hunting on the lands of another in Caldwell County without permission of the owner or his agent. Referred to committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 178, bill creating a Board of Control of North Carolina Industrial Schools, providing for the erection and management of said schools, specifying a method of procedure against juvenile delinquents, and providing for the management, detention, education and training of such delinquents. Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 179, bill to prevent killing deer in Richmond County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 180, bill to prevent hunting, trapping and killing turkeys in Richmond County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 181, bill to amend public road law of Burke County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 182, bill relating to duties of notaries public. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 183, bill to disburse equal amounts of money per capita for land and naval forces for purposes of encampment. Referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

By Senator Ward, by request, S. B. 184, bill for the relief of S. B. West, an ex-Confederate soldier, and to place him on the pension roll. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 185, bill to authorize licensed practicing physicians to compound medicines and prepare physicians' prescriptions in the town of Huntsville, N. C. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Moore, S. B. 186, bill to establish Department of Immigration, and to provide the appointment and compensation of a commissioner. Referred to Committee on Immigration.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 187, bill to regulate judicial salaries. Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 188, bill to authorize Winston Township and other townships in Forsyth County to issue bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of a street railway from High Point, N. C., to Winston, N. C. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Ellington, S. B. 189, bill to incorporate the North Carolina Osteopathic Society, to regulate the practice of osteopathy, to provide examinations and license for applicants to practice, and for other purposes. Referred to Committee on Public Health.

By Senator Long, of Iredell, S. B. 190, bill to incorporate the town of Trautman in Iredell County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Senator Stringfield introduced the following resolution:

WHEREAS, this day, the nineteenth day of January, is the anniversary of the birth of that immortal and peerless Confederate Chieftain, General Robert E. Lee; and

WHEREAS, this day has been set apart to the people of North Carolina as a legal holiday, and in further attestation of our admiration and love for his memory,

*Resolved,* That this Senate do now adjourn until 11 o'clock Friday, January 20, 1905.

Senator Thorne announces to the Senate the death of Col. F. M. Parker of Halifax County, Colonel of the Thirtieth North Carolina Regiment, which occurred on Tuesday, January 17th, and moves, as an amendment, that the adjournment be in respect also to the memory of Colonel Parker.

The amendment is adopted.

The resolution, as amended, is adopted, and the Senate stands adjourned until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

## FIFTEENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 20, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. I. McK. Pittinger of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, leave of absence is granted Senator Mason of Gaston until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Jones, leave of absence is granted Senator Aaron until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, leave of absence is granted Senator Zollicoffer until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Miller, leave of absence is granted Senator Jones until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, leave of absence is granted Senator Beasley until Tuesday.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Jones, S. B. 161, bill to prohibit cities and towns not having 200 qualified voters to issue license to any person, firm or corporation for the purpose of selling or manufacturing malt, spirituous or vinous liquors within its corporate limits, with a favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Duls, S. B. 141, H. B. 40, bill to amend section 2 of chapter 147, Public Laws of 1885, to extend the time for the proof of deeds, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is laid upon the table.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 160, bill to amend section 1727 of The Code, relating to the number of jurors to be drawn for the second week of Superior Court of Iredell County.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 152, bill to authorize removal of actions where justices of the peace die or become incapacitated before final determination of the action, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Vann, S. B. 129, bill to amend section 1723 of The Code, relating to exemption from jury service, and providing that all persons over sixty years of age shall not be required to serve as jurors, with an unfavorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, H. B. 144, S. B. 168, bill to confer upon justices of the peace jurisdiction to try and determine the offense of unlawfully riding on railroads, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, H. B. 31, S. B. 126, bill to prevent injustice by hasty and improvident orders and injunctions without notice, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, H. B. 138, S. B. 103, bill to amend chapter 107, Private Laws of 1883, giving intendant of police, or chief police officer, jurisdiction of justice of the peace in all matters made criminal by said act, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, H. B. 172, S. B. 58, bill to repeal chapter 736, Public Laws of 1901, separating the Sylva and Dillsboro public school districts for the colored race in Jackson County, with recommendation that it be referred to Committee on Education.

The report of the committee is adopted and the bill is so referred.

By Senator Burton, H. B. 137, S. B. 105, bill to amend chapter 47, Private Laws of 1879, giving intendant of police,

or chief police officer, jurisdiction of justice of the peace in all matters made criminal by said act, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Toms, H. B. 65, S. B. 114, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson County to sell real estate and for other purposes, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Zollicoffer, H. B. 41, S. B. 125, bill to amend section 3, chapter 318, Public Laws of 1889, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 118, bill to appoint J. A. Pierce a justice of the peace in Wilkes County, and to permit him to practice law, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 41, bill to amend section 1027 of The Code. The committee reports an amendment and recommends passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Fish and Fisheries:

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 89, S. B. 64, bill to make it unlawful to catch fish with traps in Big and Little Contentnea Creeks in Greene County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Election Laws:

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 137, bill to amend chapter 89, Public Laws of 1901, in regard to elections, with a favorable recommendation.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Jones, S. B. 195, bill to appoint justice of the peace for Oneal's Township, Johnston County. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 196, bill concerning building and loan associations. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 197, bill to prescribe the causes for divorce from the bonds of matrimony. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Williams, S. B. 198, bill to protect streams in Davidson County from sawdust and falling timber. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Williams, S. B. 199, bill to change the time of holding March Terms of Superior Court for the counties of Rowan and Davidson. Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.

By Senator Williams, S. B. 200, bill to amend rule 10 of descents, allowing legitimate and illegitimate children the same method of inheritance. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Williams, S. R. 201, resolution to appoint a board of commissioners to investigate and report on the bond issue. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 202, bill to extend and define the boundaries of the graded school district of Greenville graded schools, and to amend chapter 106, Private Laws of 1903, establishing said schools. Referred to Committee on Education.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives stating that Messrs Stewart, Winborne and Stronach have been appointed as a conference committee on the part of the House to meet with a like committee of the Senate to adjust all matters of difference on H. B. 183, S. B. 33, bill to incorporate the Sanford and River Valley Railroad Company.

The President announces the appointment of Senators Burton, Ward and Duls as conference committee on the part of the Senate.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 16, S. B. 106, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Stokes County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Miller, Moore, Odell, Ricks, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Wright—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 126, S. B. 145, bill to incorporate Rhodhiss Graded School in Caldwell County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Miller, Moore, Ricks, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Wright—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 125, S. B. 149, bill to incorporate Granite Falls Graded School, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller,

Ellington, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Miller, Moore, Ricks, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Wright—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 150, bill to allow the commissioners of the town of Clinton to levy an extra tax of twenty-five cents in addition to the tax allowed by law, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Miller, Odell, Ricks, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 100, S. B. 70, bill to amend chapter 157, Private Laws of 1897, extending the corporate limits of Lexington, and also extending the provisions of chapter 4, Public Laws of 1900, adjourned session, to the territory of Lexington herein set out, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Miller, Odell, Ricks, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 80, S. B. 116, bill concerning the working of public roads of Lincoln County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Miller, Odell, Ricks, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright—37.

H. B. 114, S. B. 143, bill to amend chapter 169, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the public roads of Morven Township, Anson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Ricks, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—39.

H. B. 65, S. B. 114, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson County to sell real estate, and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Moore, Odell, Ricks, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—35.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Long, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills as properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 187, S. B. 96, an act to amend section 2 of chapter 779 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to hunting in Nash County.

H. B. 185, S. B. 88, an act to protect game in Madison County.

H. B. 156, S. B. 18, an act to amend chapter 646, Public Laws of 1903, to provide for paying court stenographers for Craven County.

H. B. 130, S. B. 35, an act for the relief of C. M. Pace, Clerk of the Superior Court of Henderson County.

H. B. 149, S. B. 144, an act to change the name of the Baptist Female University of North Carolina to Baptist University for Women.

H. B. 128, S. B. 66, an act to amend chapter 186, Public Laws of 1903, entitled "An act to provide for working the public roads and highways of Halifax County."

H. B. 283, S. B. 44, an act relative to the Superior Courts for the county of Martin.

H. B. 245, S. B. 84, an act to incorporate the Durham and South Carolina Railroad Company.

H. B. 34, S. B. 10, an act to regulate the manufacture of whiskey within the city of Asheville.

H. B. 287, S. B. 171, an act to amend chapter 374, Public Laws of 1893, relating to the appointment of aides-de-camp to the Commander-in-Chief.

H. B. 159, S. B. 77, an act to abolish Neuse River as a lawful fence in Craven County.

H. B. 233, S. B. 167, an act to appoint two justices of the peace for Anson County.

H. B. 64, S. B. 98, an act authorizing the Commissioners of Sampson County to carry to the general county fund the surplus, if any, in the hands of the county treasurer, after paying off the special county bonds.

H. B. 139, S. B. 67, an act to appoint Hugh Dillard and W. D. Boseman justices of the peace for Nash County.

H. B. 38, S. B. 27, an act to empower and authorize the city of Wilmington to acquire and hold land for the purposes of a public park outside of and beyond its corporate limits.

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 7, bill to provide for the cancellation of mortgages given in lieu of bond for appearance in criminal proceedings, or for security of costs or fine in criminal actions, upon second reading.

The amendment of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 43, S. B. 101, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Stokes County to apply the overplus of funds now in the hands of J. P. Joyce, ex-Sheriff of Stokes County, collected as taxes from Sauratown Township to pay the principal and interest on subscription to the capital stock of the Roanoke and Southern Railway Company, for repairing bridge in said township, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 150, S. B. 123, bill to regulate the killing of deer in Person, Granville and Vance Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 135, bill to amend chapter 79, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the Commissioner of Wrecks, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 136, bill to amend chapter 313, Public Laws of 1903, in regard to the terms of the Superior Court of Rockingham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Rrepresentatives.

H. B. 121, S. B. 140, bill to amend chapter 150, Laws of 1901, to prohibit hunting on lands of another in Montgomery County, without consent in writing, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 117, resolution adopting additional rules for the Senate.

*Be it resolved by the Senate,* That the following additional rules be adopted:

No. ——. Every bill introduced into the Senate shall be printed or typewritten. Amendments need not be typewritten.

No. ——. The Clerk of the Senate shall provide a box of sufficient size, with an opening through the top, for the reception of bills. Such box shall be kept under lock and key and shall be stationed on the Clerk's desk. The President of the Senate shall have in his charge and keeping the key to such box. All bills which are to be introduced into the Senate shall be deposited in such box before the session begins. At the proper time the President shall open the box and take therefrom the bills. Such bills shall be read by their titles, which reading shall constitute the first reading

of the bill, and unless otherwise disposed of shall be referred to the proper committee. A bill may be introduced by unanimous consent at any other time during a session.

No. ——. The Chief Engrossing Clerk of the Senate shall appoint, with the approval of the President of the Senate, as his assistants, not more than three competent stenographers and typewriters. Such stenographers and typewriters shall work under the direction and supervision of the Engrossing Clerk. They shall engross all bills which are required to be engrossed, and shall also make for the members of the General Assembly who introduced a bill, without extra cost, one original and two carbon copies of all bills of a public nature.

No. ——. The Journal of the Senate shall be typewritten in duplicate, original and carbon, the original to be deposited in the office of Secretary of State as the record, and the carbon copy to be delivered to the State Printer.

Senator Burton moves to amend:

Amend by changing section 1 so as to read as follows: "Every bill introduced may be typewritten or in manuscript as the Senator introducing same may choose."

The amendment is lost.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 37, S. B. 24, bill to amend chapter 58, Public Laws of 1903, by bringing Rowan County within the provisions of said chapter, and to require stenographers to faithfully perform their duties, being a substitute for S. B. 24, bill to provide court stenographers for Rowan County.

The substitute passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 158, S. B. 75, bill to regulate the pay of jurors summoned on special venires in Craven County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 87, bill to make it a felony for one partner to willfully and fraudulently appropriate the partnership funds, upon second reading.

Upon request, Senator Wright is permitted to withdraw the bill from the consideration of the Senate.

H. B. 224, S. B. 169, bill to amend chapter 125, Public Laws of 1901, relating to killing deer in Montgomery County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 151, bill to amend chapter 159, Public Laws of 1903, to protect water supplies, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 157, bill to amend chapter 358, Laws of 1903, relative to the dispensary in the town of Marshall, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 170, S. B. 202, bill to repeal certain portions of section 18, chapter 113, Private Laws of 1903, relating to erection, maintenance or continuation of livery stables in the town of Brevard, Transylvania County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 118, bill to appoint J. A. Pierce a justice of the peace in Wilkes County, and to permit him to practice law, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Sinclair, the bill is re-referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 89, S. B. 64, bill to make it unlawful to catch fish with trap in Big and Little Contentnea Creeks in Greene County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 138, S. B. 103, bill to amend chapter 107, Private Laws of 1883, giving the intendant of police, or chief officer, jurisdiction of justice of the peace in matters made criminal by said act, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 137, S. B. 105, bill to amend chapter 47, Private Laws 1879, giving the intendant of police, or chief officer, jurisdiction of justice of the peace in matters made criminal by said act, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 41, S. B. 125, bill to amend section 3, chapter 318, Public Laws of 1889, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 31, S. B. 126, bill to prevent injustice by hasty and improvident orders and injunctions without notice, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 144, S. B. 168, bill to confer on justices of the peace jurisdiction to try and determine the offense of unlawfully riding on railroads, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 160, bill to amend section 1727 of The Code, relating to the number of jurors to be drawn for the second week of the Superior Court of Iredell County, upon second reading.

The amendment of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 152, bill to authorize removal of actions when justices of the peace die or become incapacitated before final determination of the action, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 41, bill to amend section 1027 of The Code, upon second reading.

The substitute of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed.

S. B. 137, bill to amend chapter 89, Public Laws of 1901, in regard to elections, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 161, bill to prohibit towns and cities not having 200 qualified voters from issuing license to any person, firm or corporation for the manufacture or sale of malt, spirituous or vinous liquors within its corporate limits, upon second reading.

The bill is made a special order for Tuesday, January 31st, at 12 o'clock.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## SIXTEENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 21, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. G. W. Starling of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Fleming, leave of absence is granted Senator Ricks until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Empie, leave of absence is granted Senator Williams until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Ward, leave of absence is granted Senator Arendell until Wednesday.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports from standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institutions:

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 132, bill for the better government of the North Carolina Institution for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Wright, S. B. 188, bill to authorize Winston Township and other townships in Forsyth County to issue bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of a street railway from High Point, N. C., to Winston-Salem, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bryan, S. B. 109, bill to fix compensation of jurors in Rutherford County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bryan, S. B. 158, bill directing the State Treasurer to cancel certain bonds and return the same to the county of Alexander, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bryan, H. B. 66, S. B. 78, bill to amend chapter 257, Private Laws of 1901, in relation to the election for bond issue, and the reduction of poll tax for the town of Mooresville in Iredell County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 104, H. B. 84, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Rutherford County to levy and collect special taxes, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, H. B. 174, S. B. 174, bill to repeal chapter 162, Private Laws of 1903, authorizing the town commissioners of Pinebluff, Moore County, N. C., to provide necessary funds for advertising the town as a desirable winter resort, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 190, bill to incorporate the town of Troutman in Iredell County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McLean, H. B. 117, S. B. 146, bill to amend the charter of the town of Littleton in Halifax and Warren Counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McLean, H. B. 178, S. B. 193, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Brunswick County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Watkins, H. B. 115, S. B. 99, bill to amend charter of the town of Ayden in Pitt County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Watkins, H. B. 175, S. B. 142, bill to change township boundary line between Scotch-Irish and Unity Townships in Rowan County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Watkins, H. B. 27, S. B. 51, bill to amend chapter 408, section 4, Laws of 1899, so as to provide for the election of County Commissioners of Granville County by the people, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 198, bill to protect the streams of Davidson County from sawdust and felling timber, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 110, bill to prevent hunting on lands of another in Rutherford Township, Rutherford County, without permission, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 180, bill to prevent hunting, trapping and killing turkeys in Richmond County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turner, S. B. 179, bill to prevent the killing of deer in Richmond County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turner, H. B. 164, S. B. 176, bill to amend section 1, chapter 276, Public Laws of 1903, to make it unlawful to sell or dispose of for gain any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one mile of churches in Columbus County named in said section. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Turrentine, H. B. 68, S. B. 100, bill to repeal chapter 762, Public Laws of 1903, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 185, bill to authorize licensed practicing physicians to compound medicines and prepare physicians' prescriptions in the town of Huntsville, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

## ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Coxe, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as correctly engrossed, which is ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 157, bill to amend chapter 358, Laws of 1903, relative to dispensary in the town of Marshall, N. C.

## MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that that honorable body refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to H. B. 81, S. B. 93, bill for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors, and asking for the

appointment of a conference committee on the part of the Senate to meet with a like committee from the House to consider said bill.

The President announces the appointment of Senators Long of Person, Stubbs and Alexander as committee on the part of the Senate.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 239, S. B. 203, bill to incorporate the town of Tabor in Columbus County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 30, S. B. 205, bill to regulate the holding of courts in Hertford County. Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.

H. B. 70, S. B. 204, bill to increase the pay of jurors in Halifax and Northampton Counties. Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 186, S. B. 94, bill to prevent the manufacture and sale or shipment of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the county of Richmond, with amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 148, S. B. 209, bill to prevent riding bicycles on the sidewalks in the town of Roper. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 25, S. B. 210, bill to fix the weight and regulate the trade in corn meal. Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 71, S. B. 211, bill to prevent the killing of squirrels in Jones, Onslow and Franklin Counties. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 46, S. B. 212, bill to elect County Commissioners of Washington County and justices of the peace of said county

by the qualified electors thereof. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 206, bill to include Martin Brinegar in the boundary lines of Alleghany County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 207, bill to increase the jury tax from two dollars in criminal cases and three dollars in civil cases to five dollars in all cases where a jury is impaneled.

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 208, bill to incorporate the Bryson City Graded School District, and to validate the special tax election. Referred to the Committee on Education.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 65, S. B. 114, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson County to sell real estate, and for other purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 31, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Boyles, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Long of Person, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright—31.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 114, S. B. 143, bill to amend chapter 569, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the public roads of Morven Township in Anson County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Boyles, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright—30.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 80, S. B. 115, bill concerning working the public roads of Lincoln County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Boyles, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright —30.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 178, S. B. 193, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Brunswick County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Gilliam, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright—30.

S. B. 190, bill to incorporate the town of Troutman in Iredell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 31, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Boyles, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright—31.

S. B. 188, bill to authorize Winston Township and other townships in Forsyth County to issue bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of a street railway from High Point, N. C., to Winston, N. C., upon second reading..

The bill passes second reading, ayes 31, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Boyles, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright—31.

H. B. 66, S. B. 78, bill to amend chapter 257, Private Laws of 1901, in relation to election for bond issue and reduction of poll tax for the town of Mooresville, Iredell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright—33.

H. B. 84, S. B. 104, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Rutherford County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Alexander, the bill is re-referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 109, bill to fix compensation of jurors in Rutherford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 158, bill directing the State Treasurer to cancel certain bonds and return the same to the county of Alexander, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 115, S. B. 99, bill to amend charter of the town of Ayden in Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 175, S. B. 142, bill to change the township boundary line between Scotch-Irish and Unity Townships in Rowan County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 198, bill to protect the streams in Davidson County from sawdust and felling timber, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 110, bill to prevent hunting on the lands of another in Rutherford Township, Rutherford County, without permission, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 180, bill to prevent hunting, trapping and killing turkeys in Richmond County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 68, S. B. 100, bill to repeal chapter 762, Public Laws of 1903, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 179, bill to prevent killing of deer in Richmond County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 164, S. B. 176, bill to amend section 1, chapter 276, Public Laws of 1903, making it unlawful to sell or dispose of for gain any spirituous,, vinous or malt liquors within one mile of the churches in Columbus County named in said section, upon second reading.

The amendment of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 27, S. B. 51, bill to amend chapter 488, section 4, Laws of 1899, so as to provide for the election of County Commissioners of Granville County by the people, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 185, bill to authorize licensed practicing physicians to compound medicines and prepare physicians' prescriptions in the town of Huntersville, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 174, S. B. 174, bill to repeal chapter 162, Private Laws of 1903, authorizing the Town Commissioners of Pinebluff, Moore County, N. C., to provide the necessary funds for advertising the town as a desirable winter resort, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 132, bill for the better government of the North Carolina Institution for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, S. R. 201, resolution for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report the matter of bonds outstanding, is recalled from the Judiciary Committee and referred to the Committee on Claims.

Upon motion of Senator Coxe, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## SEVENTEENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 23, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. S. J. Betts of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Turrentine, leave of absence is granted Senator Foushee until Wednesday.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Burton, from the committee on the part of the Senate to confer with a similar committee on the part of the House of Representatives in regard to the amendment proposed by that body to S. B. 33, H. B. 183, bill to incorporate the Sanford and River Valley Railroad Company, reports that the committee has performed that duty, and recommend that the Senate concur in the House amendment.

The report of the committee is adopted.

The amendment is concurred in, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Toms, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills and resolutions are correctly engrossed, and they are ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 41, bill to amend section 1027 of The Code.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Fleming, memorial of James M. Cox of Pitt County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Ricks, S. B. 221, bill to amend chapter 733, Public Laws of 1899, relating to negotiable instruments law and making same uniform. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Senator Aaron, by request, S. B. 222, bill to incorporate the Mt. Olive Benevolent Society. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 223, bill to amend section 192 of The Code, in regard to place of trial of actions. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 224, bill to amend section 23, chapter 164, Public Laws of 1899, to establish North Carolina Corporation Commission. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Vann, S. B. 225, bill to amend the charter of the Chowan and Aulander Railroad Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 226, bill to reduce passenger fares to three cents per mile, and to abolish the distinction between first and second class passengers. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 227, bill to cure defective orders to registration of deeds. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 288, bill to amend chapter 353, Public Laws of 1899, relative to the working of public roads of Cumberland County, and to provide additional revenue therefor. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 229, bill to amend chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, regulating the manufacture and sale of liquors in North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 230, bill to provide for holding primary elections in Buncombe County and the city of Asheville. Referred to Committee on Election Laws.

## THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 190, bill to incorporate the town of Troutman in Iredell County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boyles, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Person, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Ricks, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—30.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 66, S. B. 78, bill to amend chapter 257, Private Laws of 1901, in relation to election for bond issue, and re-

duction of poll tax for the town of Mooresville, Iredell County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Person, McLean, Moore, Odell, Ricks, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 188, bill to authorize Winston Township and other townships in Forsyth County to issue bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of a street railway from High Point, N. C., to Winston-Salem, N. C., upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Person, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Ricks, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 178, S. B. 193, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Brunswick County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Person, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Ricks, Sin-

clair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 327, S. B. 214, bill to repeal chapter 414, Public Laws of 1903, reative to the shell-fish industry, and to protect the shell-fish industry in Brunswick County. Referred to Committee on Shell-fish.

H. B. 267, S. B. 215, bill to amend chapter 281, Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 620, Laws of 1903, so as to require only six days' work instead of twelve in each year, and not to require the appointment of a supervisor. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 265, S. B. 216, bill to amend the road laws of Clay County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 260, S. B. 217, bill to amend chapter 89, Laws of 1879, and for the relief of J. T. Donaho, ex-Sheriff of Caswell County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 168, S. B. 218, bill to validate a deed from the State to P. H. Hughes. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 49, S. B. 219, bill to change the corporate limits of the city of Monroe. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 142, S. B. 220, bill for working public roads in Hertford County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 366, S. B. 213, bill to amend chapter 43, section 2, Public Laws of North Carolina, relating to Morgan Township, Rowan County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 284, S. B. 42, bill to amend chapter 321, Public Laws of 1903. The bill is returned to the Senate with request by the House of Representatives that it be placed upon its several readings by calling the roll. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Coxe, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## EIGHTEENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 24, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. W. C. Tyree of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Coxe, leave of absence is granted Senator Burton until Friday.

Upon motion of Senator Shaw, leave of absence is granted Senator Thorne until Wednesday.

Upon request of Senator Sinclair, ex-Senator McNeil of Cumberland County is accorded the privileges of the floor.

Upon request, Senator Toms is relieved from duty on the Committee on Fish and Fisheries, and Senator Stubbs is appointed in his place.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home:

By Senator Turner, S. B. 16, bill to amend chapter 273, Public Laws of 1903, for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows.

The committee report a substitute, and recommend the passage of the substitute.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Moore, petition in regard to merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Eller, petition in regard to merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Aaron, petition in regard to merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Vann, petition in regard to merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, petition in regard to merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Webb, S. B. 243, bill to amend chapter 159, Public Laws of 1903, to protect water supplies, providing that said act shall apply to water companies which may hereafter be organized. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 244, bill to divide the net proceeds of the dispensaries of Johnston County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Bryan, S. B. 245, bill to place the names of James M. McCampbell and Nathan Allison on the pension roll. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 246, bill to protect deer, squirrels and birds within certain dates. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 249, bill to amend chapter 58, Public Laws of 1903, referring to stenographers for Richmond County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 247, bill to regulate conditional pardons. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 248, bill for establishment of a graded school in Fremont Graded School District, Fremont, N. C. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 250, bill to relieve the Board of Agriculture from contributing to the current expenses of the A. and M. College. Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator Zollicffer, S. B. 251, bill to amend the general road law and extend its provisions to Vance County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 252, bill to incorporate Citizens Bank and Trust Company. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 253, bill to protect fish within twelve miles of the summit of Grandfather Mountain in Mitchell County. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 254, to amend charter of the town of Woodside. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 255, bill to provide for the erection of a building for Hall of Records and History, State Library, offices for Superintendent of Public Instruction, Insurance Commissioner and Adjutant-General, Arsenal, legislative committee and storage rooms. Referred to Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 257, bill to provide a room or hall in each county for veteran meetings. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 258, bill to prevent any and all fishing in any of the waters of Scott's Creek, Jackson County. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 259, bill to prevent the destruction of small menhaden in the waters of North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Senator Ellington, S. B. 260, bill to amend the public school law of Wake County. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Crisp, S. B. 261, bill granting pensions to soldiers and sailors incapacitated for manual labor, and providing for pensions for widows. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Arendell, resolution in regard to the appointment of a subcommittee by the Committees on Insane Asylums and Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylums, to visit the different institutions of the State under their care. Resolution is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Gilliam, resolution in regard to printing one hundred copies of S. B. 178, bill creating a Board of Control of the North Carolina Industrial Schools, providing for the erection and management of such schools, specifying a method of procedure against juvenile delinquents, and providing for the management, detention, education and training of such delinquents.

The resolution is adopted, and it is ordered that one hundred copies of the bill be printed.

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 17, S. B. 231, bill to fix punishment for carrying concealed weapons. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 28, S. B. 232, bill to make title of an act a part thereof and to prevent fraudulent legislation by deceptive titles. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 104, S. B. 233, bill to protect game in the counties of Halifax and Warren. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 176, S. B. 234, bill relating to the control and management of vehicles upon the public roads of Mecklenburg County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 193, S. B. 235, bill to prevent the manufacture and sale of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the town of Scotland Neck and adjacent territory. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 219, S. B. 236, bill to amend chapter 279, Public Laws of 1899, relative to hunting in Rowan County, and making the same act apply to Hertford County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 229, S. B. 237, bill to prevent the catching of bear in traps in Swain County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 230, S. B. 238, bill to prevent the killing of quail or partridges in Swain County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 244, S. B. 239, bill to prevent the obstruction of the public road in the town of Keyser, Moore County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 274, S. B. 240, bill to amend chapter 730, Public Laws of 1903, by providing for the faithful performance of the duties of stenographers. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 298, S. B. 241, bill relating to damaging bridges on public roads by traction engines in Chatham County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

A message is received from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that Messrs. Graham of Granville,

Powers and Mitchell have been appointed a conference committee on the part of the House to consider differences on H. B. 81, S. B. 93, bill for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 257, S. B. 242, bill to amend section 2058 of The Code, relative to erecting gates across a public highway. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 208, S. B. 256, bill to increase pay of jurors in courts of justices of the peace by amending sections 869 and 870 of The Code. Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from his Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn, in regard to the necessity for the erection of a building to be known as a Hall of Records.

The message is read and referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 19, S. B. 121, an act to repeal chapter 289, Private Laws 1899.

H. B. 132, S. B. 69, an act to protect quail in Richmond County.

H. B. 121, S. B. 140, an act to amend chapter 150 of Public Laws 1901.

H. B. 202, S. B. 170, an act to repeal certain portions of chapter 113 of the Private Laws of 1903, entitled "An act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Brevard."

H. B. 31, S. B. 126, an act to prevent injustice by hasty and improvident restraining orders and injunctions without notice.

H. B. 43, S. B. 101, an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Stokes County to apply the overplus of funds now in the hands of R. P. Joyce, ex-Sheriff of Stokes County, collected as taxes from Sauratown Township to pay the principal and interest on subscription to the capital stock of the Roanoke and Southern Railway Company, for repairing bridge in said township.

H. B. 183, S. B. 38, an act to amend the charter of the town of Salem.

H. B. 68, S. B. 100, an act to repeal chapter 762 of the Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 174, S. B. 174, an act to repeal chapter 162 of the Private Acts of the General Assembly of 1903, entitled "An act authorizing the Town Commissioners of Pinebluff, Moore County, N. C., to provide necessary funds for advertising the town as a desirable winter resort."

H. B. 355, S. B. 157, an act to amend chapter 358, Public Laws of 1903, relative to dispensary in town of Marshall, N. C.

H. B. 125, S. B. 149, an act to incorporate Granite Falls graded school.

H. B. 41, S. B. 125, an act to amend chapter 318, Public Laws of 1889.

H. B. 144, S. B. 168, an act to confer on justices of the peace jurisdiction to hear and decide offense of unlawfully riding on railroad trains.

H. B. 89, S. B. 64, an act to make it unlawful to catch fish with traps in the waters of Moccasin River (or Big Contentnea Creek) and Little Contentnea Creek in Greene County.

H. B. 186, S. B. 94, an act to prevent the manufacture, sale and shipment of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the county of Richmond.

H. B. 291, S. B. 130, an act to amend section 2 of chapter 203, Laws 1858, so as to increase the corporate limits of the town of Clinton.

H. B. 65, S. B. 114, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson County to sell real estate, and for other purposes.

H. B. 175, S. B. 142, an act to change the township boundary line between Scotch-Irish and Unity Townships of Rowan County.

H. B. 137, S. B. 105, an act to amend chapter 47, Private Laws of 1879, giving the intendant of police, or chief officer, jurisdiction of a justice of the peace in all matters made criminal by said act.

H. B. 100, S. B. 70, an act to amend chapter 157, Private Laws, session of 1897, extending the corporate limits of Lexington; and also extending the provisions of chapter 4, Public Laws of 1900, adjourned session, to the territory of Lexington as herein set out.

H. B. 126, S. B. 145, an act to incorporate the Rhodhiss graded school.

H. B. 300, S. B. 138, an act to appoint Columbus F. Morrison and John R. Caffey justices of the peace in Wilkes County.

H. B. 114, S. B. 143, an act to amend chapter 569, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the public roads of Morven Township, Anson County.

H. B. 150, S. B. 123, an act to regulate the killing of deer in the counties of Person, Granville and Vance.

H. B. 138, S. B. 103, an act to amend chapter 107, Private Laws of 1883, giving the intendant of police, or chief officer, jurisdiction of a justice of the peace in all matters made criminal by said act.

H. B. 27, S. B. 51, an act to amend chapter 488, section 4, Public Laws of 1899, so as to provide for the election of Commissioners of Granville County by the people.

H. B. 350, S. B. 160, an act to amend section 1727 of The Code, relating to the number of jurors to be drawn for the second week of the Superior Court of Iredell County.

H. B. 224, S. B. 169, an act to amend chapter 125, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the killing of deer in Montgomery County.

H. B. 158, S. B. 75, an act to amend chapter 280, Public Laws of 1897, so as to pay jurors summoned on special venire in capital cases in Craven County.

H. B. 37, S. B. 24, an act to amend chapter 58 of the Public Laws of 1903, by bringing Rowan County within the provisions of said chapter, and to require stenographers to faithfully perform their duties.

H. B. 16, S. B. 106, an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Stokes County to levy special taxes.

H. B. 80, S. B. 115, an act concerning working the public roads in Lincoln County.

H. B. 108, S. B. 122, an act to amend chapter 488, Public Laws 1899, permitting the election of County Commissioners of Bertie County by vote of the people.

H. B. 182, S. B. 33, an act to incorporate the Sanford and River Valley Railway Company.

H. B. 115, S. B. 99, an act to empower the commissioners of the town of Ayden to set apart a "Fire District" in said town.

H. B. 178, S. B. 193, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Brunswick County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 66, S. B. 78, an act to amend chapter 257 of the Private Laws of 1901, in relation to an election for bond issue and reduction of the poll tax for town of Mooresville, Iredell County.

H. B. 164, S. B. 176, an act to amend section 1 of chapter 276 of the Public Laws of 1903, making it unlawful to sell or dispose of for gain any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors

within one mile of the churches in Columbus County, named in said section 1 of the Laws of 1903.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 284, S. B. 42, bill to amend chapter 321, Public Laws of 1903, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Miller, Odell, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

S. B. 16, bill to amend chapter 273, Public Laws of 1903, for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Gilliam, the bill is made a special order for Friday, February 3d, at 12 o'clock.

S. B. 244, bill to divide the net proceeds of the dispensaries of Johnston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Resolution in regard to the appointment of a subcommittee by the Committees on Insane Asylums and Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylums, to visit the different institutions of the State under their care.

The resolution is adopted.

Senator Toms, on behalf of Mr. M. O. Dickerson, Clerk of the Superior Court of Rutherford County, presents to the President of the Senate, Hon. F. D. Winston, a gavel made of a piece of wood cut from an old apple-tree which was cut

down several years ago in front of the house formerly occupied by William Gilbert and which marked the settlement once known as Gilberttown in Rutherford County.

Senators Toms and Alexander addressed the Senate in explanation of the historic value of the gavel.

The President accepts the gavel and instructs Senators Toms and Alexander to convey his thanks to the donor.

Senator Alexander presents a communication, which is read, as follows:

RUTHERFORDTON, N. C., January 21, 1905.

*Hon. Francis D. Winston,*
Lieutenant-Governor of North Carolina,
Raleigh, N. C.

DEAR SIR:—To accompany the gavel which Mr. M. O. Dickerson, Clerk of the Superior Court of Rutherford County, has presented to you for use while presiding over the Senate, Mr. Dickerson has requested me to submit to you the following historical facts of which the tree from which the gavel was taken was a mute witness.

The gavel is made of a piece of wood cut from an old apple-tree which was several years ago cut down in front of the house formerly occupied by William Gibert, and which marks the settlement once known as Gilberttown in Rutherford County. The old house, which was the first building in which the courts of Rutherford County were held, when about to fall from age, was torn down by its owner, the late J. A. Forney, Esq., about the year 1878, and nothing now remains to mark its site but the grown sprouts of Lombardy poplars which originally shaded its yard. Tradition says that this house was the center of the settlement known as Gilberttown, where the shoals of Cathey's Creek, which flows near the house site, were utilized for manufacturing furniture and other wood-work by a colony of Scotchmen which William Gilbert is said to have brought to the locality about the year

1750. The place was headquarters for the prominent citizens of what was the western portion of Mecklenburg County, and later Tryon County, prior to 1779, when Rutherford County was established, and its owner was one of the wealthiest and most prominent citizens of this section of the State. In 1780, Colonel Ferguson, commanding the British troops, encamped at Gilberttown during his campaign, which ended with his death at King's Mountain, using William Gilbert's house as his headquarters while Mr. Gilbert was absent in attendance upon the session of the House of Commons, of which he was a member. It was in this Gilbert house that Major Dunlap, one of the most daring and vicious British officers and Ferguson's leading support, was shot and seriously wounded by Captain Gillespie, whose affianced, Miss Mary McRhea, Major Dunlap, during the march of Ferguson's troops through South Carolina, had abducted and kept in confinement until the innocent woman died grief-stricken and broken-hearted. It was in this Gilbert house that the first court of Rutherford County was held and, for many years until the county-seat was permanently located at Rutherfordton, most of the sessions of the County Court were held at either the house of William Gilbert or that of Gilbert's son-in-law, James Holland, on an adjoining plantation.

William Gilbert was of Scotch-Irish descent, migrated to America and first settled in Philadelphia, where he met and fell in love with Miss Sarah McCanless, whom he married against the will of her parents and brought to Charleston, from which place, with a colony of Scotchmen which he had collected together, he came to the locality known as Gilberttown, then a part of Anson or Mecklenburg County. For many years he held the office of justice of the peace of Tryon County, and in 1779 represented that county in the House of Commons, from which he was expelled upon a charge of falsifying his accounts as commissary, from which charge he was thoroughly vindicated by the County Court of

Rutherford County at the October Term, 1781, at which court the following record appears on the minute docket: "On motion of William Gilbert, Esq., and testimony produced to the satisfaction of the Court, it is ordered that the opinion of the Court be entered on the records, to-wit: It is the opinion of the Court that the said William Gilbert is not guilty of the charge laid against him to the General Assembly, and we do certify that William Gilbert never plundered, nor was guilty of plundering, to our knowledge." He occupied the position of tax assessor and justice of the peace for many years in Rutherford County, commencing with the establishment of the county in 1779, and was a member of the House of Commons in 1780, 1782 and 1783. In 1783, contemplating a business trip to Philadelphia and other Northern cities, the Rutherford County Court presented him with, and had spread upon the minutes of the Court, a certificate commending William Gilbert to whomsoever with whom he might be thrown during his trip, and stating that he was first in wealth and first in peace in the county, and that he was a thorough patriot, thereby refuting the charge contained in Draper's "King's Mountain and its Heroes" that Gilbert was "a loyal friend of King George." He died in Rutherford County in the year 1790, after a life of strenuous devotion to his adopted country and full of patriotic sacrifices for the cause of liberty.

One of the daughters of William Gilbert married James Holland, who resided on a plantation adjoining Gilberttown, and the small creek which flows through his place to this day bears the name of Holland's Creek. James Holland took a prominent and active part in the early history of our State and, no doubt, the prominence and partiotism of his father-in-law assisted him in obtaining the high offices which he filled. He was Sheriff of old Tryon County before its division in 1779; was Second Lieutenant in Harding's Com-

pany, Lock's Regiment, North Carolina Militia; was a member of the State Senate in 1783 and 1797, and a member of the House of Commons in 1786 and 1789; was a member of the first Board of Trustees of the University of North Carolina, 1789-1795, and a member of the second North Carolina Constitutional Convention that adopted the Federal Constitution, 1789. In 1794, James Holland was elected to Congress and served, that time, from 1795 to 1797. In 1800 he was again elected to Congress and served continuously until 1811. In the year 1808, James Holland, who had decided to remove to Tennessee, told his friends that he would not again stand for election to Congress, whereupon the friends of Weightstill Avery, between whom and James Holland there always existed great rivalry, made the charge that Holland would not again stand for the nomination because he knew defeat stared him in the face. Hearing of this, Mr. Holland ordered the removal of his household effects to Tennessee to be stopped, a part having already been sent ahead, announced his candidacy against Avery and was overwhelmingly elected again to Congress. He is the only resident of Rutherford County who has ever been honored with a seat in Congress. After the expiration of his term in Congress he moved to Tennessee, where he died in 1823.

The gavel with which Mr. Dickerson has presented you is a mute reminder of the lives of William Gilbert and James Holland, two men who were most active and prominent in the early history of our State, but whose names, through the lapse of time and our culpable neglect of local history, are unknown to the present generation, notwithstanding the fact that these men are largely responsible for the peace, prosperity and liberty we now enjoy. It was due to the patriotic devotion of such men as these and to the wise legislation of those times that the existence of North Carolina as a State and the establishment of the United States as a world nation became possible. Mr. Dickerson commissions me to urge you to ac-

cept this gavel and to use it in the North Carolina State Senate, together with the historical facts which the tree from which it was cut silently witnessed. May this gavel as it is wielded in the government of the Senate renew in the breasts of the Senators remembrance of those troublesome times, the successful outcome of which is our present country —the home of industry, prosperity and liberty.

With the sincerest assurance of the best wishes of both Mr. Dickerson and myself, and kindest regards, I am,

Very truly yours,

S. GALLERT.

Upon motion of Senator Fleming, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## NINETEENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 25, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. M. M. Marshall of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Ward, leave of absence is granted Senator Williams.

Upon motion of Senator Jones, leave of absence is granted Senator Grady.

Upon request, Senator Beasley is relieved from service on the Committee on Insurance and Senator Scales is appointed in his place.

Upon motion of Senator Thorne, ex-Senator Travis of Halifax County is accorded the privileges of the floor.

Upon motion of Senator Zollicoffer, it is ordered that two hundred copies of S. B. 198, bill relating to building and loan associations, be printed.

Upon motion of Senator Empie, it is ordered that two hundred copies of S. B. 153, bill to provide fire-escapes and to protect human life, be printed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 162, S. B. 175, bill to exempt the town of Fountain in Pitt County from the operation of a certain act prohibiting the sale of liquor within two miles of certain churches and school-houses, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 177, bill to prevent hunting on the lands of another in Caldwell County without permission of the owner.

The bill is reported by the committee without prejudice.

Upon request, Senator Miller is permitted to withdraw this bill from the consideration of the Senate.

From the Committee on Claims:

By Senator Sinclair, S. R. 201, resolution to appoint a board of commissioners to investigate and report the matter of bond issue. The committee makes the following report: This resolution having been considered by the Joint Committee on Claims, and a House substitute having been agreed on, the committee recommends that this bill do not pass.

The bill is tabled.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 218, H. B. 168, bill to validate a deed from the State to P. H. Hughes, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 116, bill to amend section 505 of The Code, in relation to homesteads, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 207, bill to increase the jury tax from $2 in criminal cases and $3 in civil to $5 in all cases where a jury is impaneled.

The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Wright, S. B. 248, bill for the establishment of graded schools in Fremont, Wayne County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 154, bill to amend chapter 424, Public Laws of 1887, in regard to Reidsville School District in Rockingham County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Ricks, S. B. 250, bill to relieve the Board of Agriculture from contributing to the current expenses of the A. and M. College, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 28, S. B. 210, bill to fix the weight and regulate the trade in corn meal. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Banks and Currency:

By Senator Ricks, S. B. 221, bill to amend chapter 733, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the negotiable instruments law, and making the same uniform, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 252, bill to incorporate the Citizens Bank and Trust Company, with a favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home:

By Senator Ricks, S. B. 245, bill to place the names of James M. McCampbell and Nathan Allison on the pension roll, with unfavorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Salaries and Fees:

By Senator Scales, S. B. 187, bill to regulate judicial salaries. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 8, bill to establish the salaries of the Governor, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, Associate Justices of the Supreme Court and the Judges of the Superior Courts of North Carolina. The committee, having approved a substitute, recommends that the bill do not pass.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 5, bill to amend section 3733 of The Code, to increase the pay of Supreme Court Justices.

The committee, having approved a substitute, recommend that the bill do not pass.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 6, bill to amend section 3734 of The Code, to increase the pay of the Superior Court Judges. The committee, having approved a substitute, recommend that the bill do not pass.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 25, bill to defray the traveling and other incidental expenses fo the Governor, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 93, S. B. 147, bill to amend chapter 581, Laws of 1899, relating to the road law in the townships of River, Judkin and Hawtree in Warren County.

The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

## MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received and read from his Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn, transmitting reports, containing statements of the officers and employees, and the salary re-

ceived by each, in the following departments: The Executive Department, the Secretary of State, the Treasurer, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, the Attorney-General, the Superintendent of the Normal and Industrial College at Greensboro, the Librarian and the Commissioner of Labor and Printing. The message and the several reports are referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

The report from James R. Young, Insurance Commissioner, is received and referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

The report of J. S. Mann, Superintendent of the State Prison, is received and referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Jones, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills as properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 154, S. B. 15, bill to repeal chapter 675, Public Laws of 1903, relative to game laws in Cabarrus County.

H. B. 94, S. B. 54, bill for the relief of B. R. Lacy, State Treasurer.

H. B. 184, S. B. 60, bill to amend charter of the Statesville Air Line Railroad Company.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are submitted and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Alexander, petition in regard to the divorce law. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Eller, petition in regard to the divorce law. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Scales, petition in regard to the divorce law. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Scales, petition in regard to the liquor traffic. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Stringfield, petition in regard to the merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Arendell, petition to prevent selling liquor within five miles of certain churches. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Bragaw, by request, petition in regard to the divorce law. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Webb, petition in regard to merchants' purpurchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Scales, petition in regard to the merchants' chase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senators McLean and Everett, petition in regard to the merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Coxe, petition in regard to the merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Alexander, petition in regard to the merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Webb, petition in regard to the merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Long of Person, petition in regard to the merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Bryan, petition in regard to the merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Stringfield, petition in regard to the divorce law. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Bragaw, petition in regard to the merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Turner, petition in regard to merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Stringfield, petition in regard to merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Thorne, petition in regard to merchants purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Jones, S. B. 264, bill to appoint justices of the peace for Cleveland Township, Johnston County. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 265, bill to change the time of holding court in the several counties in the Fourteenth Judicial District. Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 266, bill to amend charter of the Yonahlossee Road Company. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 267, bill to amend section 44, chapter 247, Public Laws of 1903, relating to tax on peddlers. Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Boddie, by request, S. B. 268, bill to make fishing with nets, etc., in W. K. Phillips' mill pond in Franklin County unlawful. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 269, bill to amend the graded school law of the town of Hendersonville. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 270, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Cumberland County to establish a Board of Fence Commissioners for Cross Creek Stock Law Territory, and for other purposes. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 271, bill for the protection of livery-stable keepers. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 272, bill to enable the Commissioners of Cumberland County to refund their bonds, known as the jail bonds. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Boddie, S. B. 273, bill to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Wilson Graded School District to issue bonds. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 275, bill to amend section 22, chapter 164, Public Laws of 1899, with reference to newspaper transportation. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Boyles, S. B. 276, bill to establish a graded school at Pinnacle in Stokes County. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 274, bill to amend chapter 677, Public Laws of 1901, to prevent fire waste. Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 277, bill to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1901, so as to allow the trustees of Henderson Graded School in Vance County to issue bonds to erect buildings, etc. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 284, bill to amend act providing that illegitimate children shall inherit equally with legitimate children from their mother. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 285, bill to amend chapter 488, Laws of 1903, for the better regulation of the business of fire insurance, and to increase the public revenue. Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolution, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 102, S. B. 262, bill to abolish the second week of the Spring Term of the Superior Court of Lincoln County. Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.

H. B. 216, S. B. 263, bill to amend chapter 57, Public Laws of 1897, as amended by the Public Laws of 1899, re-

lating to public drunkenness in the counties of Buncombe, Transylvania and Henderson. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 214, S. B. 278, bill to validate the election of justices of the peace in Alleghany County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 280, S. B. 279, bill to amend chapter 439, Public Laws of 1903, relating to stock running at large in Ashe County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 314, S. B. 220, bill to amend chapter 65, Public Laws of 1895, relating to barbed-wire fences in Rockingham County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 338, S. B. 281, bill to amend chapter 208, Public Laws of 1903, relating to sale of scrap metal. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 341, S. B. 282, bill to extend the provisions of chapter 162, Laws of 1903, to Gates County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. R. 405, S. R. 283, joint resolution asking for report from superintendents of State institutions. Placed upon the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 284, S. B. 42, bill to amend chapter 32, Public Laws of 1903, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sin-

clair, Somers, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkin, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 117, S. B. 146, bill to amend the charter of the town of Littleton in the counties of Halifax and Warren, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 154, bill to amend chapter 424, Public Laws of 1887, in regard to Reidsville School District in Rockingham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boyles, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Everett, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 93, S. B. 147, bill to amend chapter 581, Laws of 1899, relating to the road law of the townships of River, Judkin and Hawtree in Warren County, upon second reading.

The amendment of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 41, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—41.

S. B. 248, bill for the establishment of graded schools in Fremont, Wayne County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

H. R. 405, S. R. 283, joint resolution asking for reports from superintendents of State institutions, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 214, S. B. 278, bill to validate the election of justices of the peace in Alleghany County, upon second reading.

Senator Aaron moves to amend:

Amend by adding: The terms of office of justices of the peace for Alleghany County shall begin the first Monday in December, 1904, and continue for two years.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 116, bill to amend section 505 of The Code, in relation to homesteads, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 162, S. B. 176, bill to exempt the town of Fountain from the operation of a certain act prohibiting the sale of liquor within two miles of certain churches and schoolhouses, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 71, bill to permit married women to make contracts, upon second reading.

Senator McLean calls for ayes and noes.

The call is sustained.

The bill fails to pass second reading, ayes 20, noes 23, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Arendell, Alexander, Beasley, Boddie, Eller, Everett, Gilliam, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Moore, Scales, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Ward, Webb, Wright, Zolicoffer—20.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Aaron, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Ellington, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Iredell, McCulloch, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Vann —23.

H. B. 168, S. B. 218, bill to validate a deed from the State to P. H. Hughes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 187, bill to regulate judicial salaries, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Eller, the bill is made a special order for to-morrow at 12 o'clock.

S. B. 207, bill to increase jury tax from $2 in criminal cases and $3 in civil cases to $5 in all cases where a jury is impaneled, upon second reading.

The amendment of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 25, S. B. 210, bill to fix the weights and regulate the trade in corn meal, upon second reading.

The amendment of the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading.

S. B. 221, bill to amend chapter 733, Public Laws of 1899, relating to negotiable instruments law and to make it uniform, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

S. B. 250, bill to relieve the Board of Agriculture from contributing to the current expenses of the A. and M. College. upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator McLean, the bill is made a special order for Thursday, February 2d, at 12 o'clock.

S. B. 258, bill to incorporate the Citizens Bank and Trust Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Iredell, the vote by which S. B. 71, bill to permit married women to make contracts, failed to pass its second reading is reconsidered.

Upon motion of Senator Empie, the bill is made a special order for Friday, January 27th, at 12 o'clock.

Upon motion of Senator Arendell, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## TWENTIETH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 26, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. C. L. Reid of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is corect, and the same stands approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 235, H. B. 193, bill to prevent the manufacture and sale of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the town of Scotland Neck and adjacent territory, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, H. B. 219, S. B. 236, bill to amend chapter 279, Public Laws of 1899, relating to hunting in Rowan County, and making the same act apply to Hertford county, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 246, bill to protect squirrels, deer and bears within certain days in certain counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Long of Iredell, H. B. 148, S. B. 20, bill to prevent riding bicycles on the sidewalks of the town of Roper, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 243, bill to amend chapter 159, Public Laws of 1903, to protect water supplies, providing that said act shall apply to water companies which may hereafter be organized, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Taylor, H. B. 260, S. B. 217, bill to amend chapter 89, Laws of 1879, and for the relief of J. T. Donaho, ex-Sheriff of Caswell County, with recommendation that it be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The bill is referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Taylor, H. B. 280, S. B. 279, bill to amend chapter 439, Public Laws of 1903, relating to stock running at large in Ashe County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Commitee on Insurance:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 285, bill to amend chapter 488, Public Laws of 1903, for the better regulation of fire insurance and to increase the public revenue, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Fish and Fisheries:

By Senator Vann, S. B. 32, bill to regulate fishing in Albemarle and Pamlico Sounds and waters connected with them.

The committee reports a substitute and recommends the passage of the substitute.

Senator Stubbs submits the report of the minority of the committee, recommending the passage of another substitute.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Moore, H. B. 265, S. B. 216, bill to amend road laws of Clay County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 169, S. B. 192, bill to prevent fast driving over the public bridges in Randolph County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 266, bill to amend charter of the Yonahlassee Road Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 228, bill to amend chapter 353, Public Laws of 1899, relating to working public roads of Cumberland County, and to provide additional revenue therefor, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Miller, H. B. 172, S. B. 191, bill to regulate working public roads in Ashe County, with favorable recommendation.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Long, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolution properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 117, S. B. 146, bill to amend the charter of the town of Littleton in the counties of Halifax and Warren.

H. B. 168, S. B. 218, bill to validate a deed from the State to P. H. Hughes.

H. B. 162, S. B. 175, bill to exempt the town of Fountain in Pitt County from the operation of a certain act prohibiting the sale of liquor within two miles of Lang's schoolhouse.

H. R. 405, S. R. 283, joint resolution asking for report from superintendents of State institutions.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Toms, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to Finance Committee.

By Senator Wright, petition in regard to sale of liquor within three miles of Gold Hill Academy, Rowan County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Pearson, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Toms, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to Finance Committee.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Pearson, by request, S. B. 287, bill to enforce the use of broad tires upon wagons using the public roads. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Wright, by request, S. B. 288, bill to prohibit the manufacture or sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within three miles of Gold Hill Academy in Rowan County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 289, bill to amend the divorce law. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 290, bill to protect game in Halifax and Warren counties. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 291, bill to allow the Mercantile Banking and Trust Company time to organize. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Ellington, S. B. 292, bill to settle the debt due by the State to Florence P. Tucker, executrix of R. S. Tucker, deceased. Referred to the Committee on Claims.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follow:

H. B. 439, S. B. 286, bill for the relief of county commissioners. Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 467, S. B. 293, bill to repeal an act passed at this session for the relief of B. R. Lacy, State Treasurer. Referred to Committee on Claims.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is recalled from the Committee on Claims and placed upon the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 248, bill for the establishment of a graded school for Fremont School District, Fremont, N. C., upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 44, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms,

Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—44.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 154, bill to amend chapter 424, Laws of 1887, in regard to Reidsville School District in Rockingham County. upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 93, S. B. 147, bill to amend chapter 581, Laws of 1899, relating to the road law in the townships of River, Judkin and Hawtree and appointing road commissioners for said townships in Warren County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 25, S. B. 210, bill to fix the weight and regulate the trade in corn meal, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is referred to the Judiciary Committee.

S. B. 221, bill to amend chapter 733, Public Laws of 1899, relating to negotiable instruments law and making the same uniform, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 439, S. B. 286, bill for the relief of county commissioners, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 32, bill to regulate fishing in Albemarle and Pamlico Sounds and waters connected with them, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Stubbs, the bill is made a special order for Tuesday, January 31st, at 11:30 o'clock.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 187, bill to regulate judicial salaries, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

Senator McLean calls for the ayes and noes.

The call is sustained.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 24, noes 23, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Bragaw, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Fleming Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Toms, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—24.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Everett, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Ricks, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Williams—23.

Upon motion of Senator Gilliam, the bill is placed immediately upon its third reading.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Wright, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

## TWENTY-FIRST DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 27, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. R. T. Vann of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Boddie, leave of absence is granted Senator Grady.

Upon motion of Senator Bragaw, leave of absence is granted Senator Toms until Wednesday.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 249, bill to amend chapter 58, Public Laws of 1903, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Stubbs, H. B. 338, S. B. 281, bill to amend chapter 208, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the sale of scrap metal.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Eller, H. B. 17, S. B. 231, bill to fix punishment for carrying concealed weapons, with unfavorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 36, bill to empower and enable the city of Wilmington to dispose of or sell certain lands owned near Wrightsville Sound, and to invest the proceeds in a public park, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Zollicoffer, H. B. 28, S. B. 232, bill to make title of an act a part thereof, and to prevent fraudulent legis

lation by deceptive titles, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Insurance:

By Senator Eller, S. B. 274, bill to amend section 677, Public Laws of 1901, to prevent fire waste. The bill is reported without recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Eller, it is ordered that five hundred copies of the bill be printed.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Turner, S. B. 159, bill to prevent the manufacture, sale or shipment of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the town of Advance in Davie County, with favorable recommendation.

## ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Long, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 214, S. B. 278, bill to validate the election of justices of the peace for Alleghany County.

H. B. 439, S. B. 286, bill for the relief of county commissioners.

H. B. 81, S. B. 93, bill for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors.

H. B. 428, S. B. 244, bill to divide the net proceeds of the dispensaries of Johnston County.

## PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Vann, petition from druggists in the town of Murfreesboro relating to raising the standard of the profession of pharmacists. Referred to Committee on Public Health.

By Senator Stringfield, petition from citizens of Madison County asking for the new county of Hot Springs. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Ellington, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Arendell, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Duls, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senators Everett and McLean, petitions in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Senator Pearson, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Williams, petitions in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Boyles, petitions in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Grady, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Ward, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Aaron, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Boddie, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Coxe, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Vann, memorial of Directors of Jamestown Exposition Company.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Vann, S. R. 309, joint resolution to invite the Directors of the Jamestown Exposition to address the General Assembly on Thursday, February 2d.

The resolution passes its several readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Stringfield, by request, S. B. 296, bill to establish and provide for the organization of the county of Hot Springs from the territory of Madison County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Vann, by request, S. B. 297, bill regarding the sale of household and kitchen furniture by husband and wife. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Miller, by request, S. B. 298, bill to incorporate the Yadkin and Transmontain Railroad Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 299, bill to incorporate the Wadesboro Public Library. Referred to Committee on Libraries.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 300, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Chatham County to issue bonds to pay their present floating indebtedness incurred prior to the first day of January, 1905. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 301, bill to protect the property of railroad companies. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Moore, S. B. 302, bill to prevent the felling of trees in Moore's Creek in Pender County. Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 303, bill to amend chapter 645, Public Laws of 1901, so as to prevent fowls running at large in the town of Morganton, Burke County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 304, bill to incorporate the J. M. Ray Camp United Confederate Veterans, Company K, North

Carolina Veterans, and Company F, North Carolina Volunteers. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 305, bill to prevent persons not members of secret societies from wearing or displaying on their person the emblem or insignia of such societies. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Ellington, S. B. 306, bill to repeal section 3, chapter 478, Public Laws of 1903, in regard to mechanics and others in Wake County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

The report of B. F. Dixon, State Auditor, containing a statement of the officers and employees of his department, and the salary of each, is received and referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received and read from his Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn, transmitting reports containing statements of the officers and employees, and the salary of each, in the following departments: The Corporation Commission; the North Carolina School for the Deaf and Dumb, and the Colored State Normal Schools. The message and reports are referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 340, S. B. 294, bill to validate judgments under which sales of contingent remainder have been made. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 419, S. B. 295, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Spencer, N. C. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 32, S. B. 307, bill to repeal chapter 349, Public Laws of 1903. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 259, S. B. 308, bill to amend chapter 186, Public Laws of 1901, to permit administrators of deceased mortgagees and trustees to renounce the right to foreclose and to provide for the appointment of trustees to foreclose instead of the administrators. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. R. 133, S. R. 310, joint resolution relative to South Dakota judgment and bonds upon which said judgment was obtained. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

Senator Burton moves to reconsider the vote by which H. B. 499, S. B. 154, bill to amend chapter 424, Public Laws of 1887, in regard to Reidsville School District, Rockingham County, passed third reading, and that a message be sent to the House of Representatives requesting its return to the Senate.

The motion is adopted, and a message is sent to the House of Representatives requesting the return of the bill.

## THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 265, S. B. 216, bill to amend road laws of Clay County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Everett, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

S. B. 228, bill to amend chapter 353, Public Laws of 1899, relative to working the public roads of Cumberland County and to provide additional revenue therefor, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 44, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Fonshee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Irdell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—45.

H. B. 172, S. B. 191, bill to regulate the working of public roads in Ashe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 169, S. B. 192, bill to prevent fast driving over public bridges in Randolph County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 193, S. B. 236, bill to prevent the manufacture and sale of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors in the town of Scotland Neck and adjacent territory, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 219, S. B. 236, bill to amend chapter 279, Public Laws of 1899, relative to hunting in Rowan County, and making the same act apply to Hertford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 243, bill to amend chapter 159, Public Laws of 1903, to protect water supplies, providing that said act shall apply

to water companies which may hereafter be organized, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 246, bill to protect deer, squirrels and birds within certain dates in certain counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 266, bill to amend charter of the Yonahlossee Road Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 280, S. B. 279, bill to amend chapter 439, Public Laws of 1903, relating to stock running at large in Ashe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 285, bill to amend chapter 488, Public Laws of 1903, for better regulation of the business of fire insurance, and to increase the public revenue, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 36, bill to empower and enable the city of Wilmington to dispose of or sell certain lands owned near Wrightsville Sound and invest the proceeds in a public park, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 159, bill to prevent the manufacture, sale or shipment of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the town of Advance in Davie County, upon second reading.

Senator Pearson moves to amend:

Amend by adding after the word "Advance," the words "the towns of Williams and Shore in the County of Yadkin."

The amendment fails to pass.

Senator Ward moves to make the bill a special order for next Tuesday at 12 o'clock.

The motion is lost.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives returning H. B. 499, S. B. 154, bill to amend chapter 424, Public Laws of 1887, in regard to Reidsville School District, Rockingham County.

Senator Burton moves to amend:

Amend as follows: After the word "levy" and before the word "and" in next to the last line of section six, insert the words "the said taxes."

Amend section 6 by inserting after the word "and" and before the word "collect" in next to the last line the words "the sheriff shall."

Amend section 6 by striking out the words "said taxes" and inserting the words "the same, which shall be applied as provided in chapter 424, Public Laws of 1887."

Amend by striking out section 7, and numbering section 8 as section 7.

The amendments are adopted.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

The bill is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 71, bill to permit married women to make contracts, upon second reading.

Senator Stubbs calls for ayes and noes.

The call is sustained.

The bill fails to pass second reading, ayes 14, noes 33, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Eller, Everett, Grady, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Moore, Scales, Turrentine, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—14.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Ellington, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Watkins—33.

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

H. B. 467, S. B. 293, bill to repeal an act passed at this session for the relief of B. R. Lacy, State Treasurer, upon second reading.

Senator Scales moves to table.

Senator Webb calls for the ayes and noes.

The call is sustained.

The motion is lost, ayes 21, noes 23, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Bragaw, Coxe, Duls, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Mason of Gaston, Moore, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins—21.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Arendell, Beasley, Boyles, Burton, Crisp, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McLean, Miller, Odell, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—23.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, the bill is made a special order for Wednesday, February 1st, at 12 o'clock.

Upon motion of Senator Stubbs, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## TWENTY-SECOND DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 28, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. A. H. Moment of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports the Journal of yesterday as correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Everett, leave of absence is granted Senator McLean until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Person, leave of absence is granted Senator Eller until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Arendell, Senators Webb, Odell and Long of Person are granted leave of absence.

Upon motion, Senator Aaron is permitted to withdraw S. B. 222, bill to incorporate the Benevolent Society from the further consideration of the Senate.

### MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from his Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn, informing the Senate of certain nominations and asking for the confirmation of such nominations by the Senate.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Duls, H. B. 274, S. B. 240, bill to amend section 730, Public Laws of 1903, by providing for the faithful performance of duties by stenographers, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Moore, S. B. 302, bill to prevent the felling of trees in Moore's Creek, Pender County, with favorable recommendation.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Beasley, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills as properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 370, S. B. 158, an act directing the State Treasurer to cancel certain bonds and return the same, together with the coupons attached, to the county of Alexander.

H. B. 95, S. B. 59, an act for election of Commissioners in Franklin County.

H. B. 280, S. B. 279, an act to amend chapter 439, Public Laws 1903, relating to stock running at large in Ashe County.

H. B. 178, S. B. 191, an act to amend chapter 50, Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 368, Public Laws of 1903, to regulate highways and public roads in Ashe County.

H. B. 219, S. B. 236, an act to amend chapter 279 of the Public Laws of 1899, relative to hunting in Rowan County, making the same act apply to Hertford County.

H. B. 169, S. B. 192, an act to prevent fast driving over the public bridges in Randolph County.

H. B. 193, S. B. 235, an act to prevent the manufacture and sale of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the town of Scotland Neck and adjacent territory.

H. B. 93, S. B. 147, an act to amend chapter 531, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the road law of River, Judkins and Roanoke Townships in Warren County.

H. B. 353, S. B. 150, an act to allow the Commissioners of the town of Clinton to levy an extra tax of twenty-five cents in addition to the tax now authorized by law.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Boddie, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills and resolutions are correctly engrossed, and they are ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 154, bill to amend chapter 424, Public Laws of 1887, in regard to Reidsville School District in Rockingham County.

From the Committee on Fish and Fisheries:

By Senator Vann, S. B. 258, bill to prevent any and all fishing in any of the waters of Scott's Creek in Jackson County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 259, bill to prevent the destruction of small menhaden in the waters of North Carolina, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Jones, S. B. 206, bill to include Martin Brinegar in the boundary lines of Alleghany County, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bryan, S. B. 203, bill to amend chapter 645, Public Laws of 1901, so as to prevent fowls running at large in the town of Morganton, Burke County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of bill with amendment.

By Senator Webb, H. B. 419, S. B. 295, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Spencer, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 270, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Cumberland County to establish a board of fence commissioners for Cross Creek stock law territory, and for other purposes, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, H. B. 84, S. B. 104, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Rutherford County to levy and collect a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 254, bill to amend the charter of the town of Woodside, with favorabe recommendation.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 276, bill to establish graded school at Pinnacle, Stokes County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 273, bill to authorize the board of trustees of Wilson Graded School District to issue bonds, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Stringfield, H. B. 58, S. B. 172, bill to repeal chapter 736, Public Laws of 1901, separating the Sylva and Dillsboro School Districts for the Colored Race in Jackson County, with favorable recommendation.

## PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Stringfield, memorial of E. J. Hale, A. C. Avery, S. A. Ashe and W. A. Montgomery. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Scales, memorial of North Carolina Division of United Daughters of the Confederacy in regard to placing marks on prominent battlefields in places occupied by North Carolina troops. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Fleming, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to Finance Committee.

By Senator Long of Person, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to Finance Committee.

By Senator Crisp, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Long of Iredell, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to Finance Committee.

By Senator Bryan, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to Finance Committee.

By Senator Sinclair, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to Finance Committee.

By Senator Arendell, petition to make certain fraudulent acts a misdemeanor. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Arendell, petition in regard to amending Constitution to repeal homestead. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Webb, by request, petition of citizens of Clay County relative to stock law. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Long of Person, S. R. 344, joint resolution inviting General R. F. Hoke to attend the General Assembly. The resolution is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Moore, S. B. 331, bill to repeal chapter 498, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the anti-jug law in Pender County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 332, bill to place tablets to North Carolina troops at Bethel and Chicamauga. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Grady, S. B. 333, bill to provide for the care and reformation of young criminals. Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Senator Eller, S. R. 334, resolution to pay expenses of inauguration. Referred to Committee on Claims.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 335, bill to cause railroad companies to deliver to consignees freight with reasonable promptness, and to amend chapter 590, Public Laws of 1903. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 336, bill to appoint justice of the peace for Boone Hill Township, Johnston County. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 337, bill to amend section 1932, chapter 49 of The Code, entitled "Railroads." Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 338, bill to restore name of Bruce Township in Guilford County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Vann, S. B. 339, bill to incorporate Citizens Bank of Edenton, N. C. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 340, bill to allow the stockholders of the American Cotton Manufacturers Association, incorporated, to hold their meetings in or out of the State of North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 341, bill to amend chapter 710, Public Laws of 1901, relating to insurance on public buildings and other State property. Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 342, bill for the better protection of clams in the waters of New Hanover County. Referred to Committee on Shell-fish.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 343, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors within three miles of Fairview Methodist Protestant Church in Alamance County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 345, bill to amend chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, regulating the manufacture and sale

of liquor in North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, it is ordered that two hundred copies of this bill be printed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 241, S. B. 311, bill to amend chapter 97, Public Laws of 1903, to provide a better system for working the public roads of Jackson County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 440, S. B. 312, bill to amend section 1892 of The Code, so as to provide for the partition of mineral interests, when title to the same has become separated in ownership from the surface. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 304, S. B. 313, bill authorizing the appointment of a cotton-weigher for the town of Ayden, Pitt County, N. C. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 321, S. B. 314, bill to amend chapter 426, Public Laws of 1903, being an act to establish a convict system of working the public roads of Greene County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 330, S. B. 315, bill to amend the public road law of Halifax County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 331, S. B. 316, bill to allow the Commissioners of Bertie County to sell part of jail lot in the town of Windsor. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 398, S. B. 317, bill to amend chapter 101, Laws of 1891, changing the corporate limits of the town of Boardman in Columbus County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 256, S. B. 319, bill to authorize the Commissioners

of Caswell County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of making and improving the public roads of said county. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 378, S. B. 320, bill to amend the charter of the Raleigh and Pamlico Sound Railroad Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 358, S. B. 318, bill to incorporate the Bryson City Graded School. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 396, S. B. 321, bill to repeal chapter 695, Public Laws of 1901, entitled an act for the relief of M. H. P. Clark, relating to a certain State bond, No. 349, for $50. Referred to Committee on Claims.

H. B. 145, S. B. 322, bill to appoint E. K. Brown a justice of the peace for Tatom's Township, Columbus County. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

H. B. 196, S. B. 323, bill for the relief of Miss Annie Clegg, of Chatham County. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 106, S. B. 324, bill to authorize the Board of Education of Yancey County to refund to N. W. Horton, ex-treasurer of said county, forty dollars out of the general school fund of said county for money overpaid in excess of the school fund in 1899. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 223, S. B. 325, bill to authorize the County Board of Education of Wake County to make an appropriation out of the county school fund to aid the Wake County Woman's Association for the Betterment of Public Schools. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 381, S. B. 326, bill to amend chapter 176, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the working of public roads in Cherokee County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 393, S. B. 327, bill to incorporate the town of Almond in Swain County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 401, S. B. 328, bill to levy a special tax in Ashe County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 59, S. B. 329, bill to abolish the office of standard-keeper in Currituck County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 318, S. B. 330, bill to protect the trapping interests in Dare County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. R. 524, S. R. 309, joint resolution inviting the Directors of the Jamestown Exposition to address the General Assembly, on concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the resolution is ordered enrolled.

The President appoints Senator Vann as committee on the part of the Senate provided for in the above resolution.

Upon motion of Senator Sinclair, S. B. 228, bill to amend chapter 253, Public Laws of 1899, relative to working of public roads in Cumberland County, and to provide additional revenue therefor, is re-referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 265, S. B. 216, bill to amend road law of Clay County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Miller, McLean, Pearson, Ricks, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers,

Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer —37.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 254, bill to amend charter of the town of Woodside, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Ricks, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer —38.

H. B. 84, S. B. 104, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Rutherford County to levy and collect a special tax, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 41, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—41.

S. B. 273, bill to authorize the board of trustees of Wilson Graded School District to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 41, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alex-

ander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer —41.

S. B. 276, bill to establish graded school at Pinnacle, Stokes County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 41, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Ellington, Everett, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer —41.

H. B. 419, S. B. 295, bill to amend, revise and consolidate charter of the town of Spencer, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 41, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer —41.

S. R. 344, joint resolution inviting General R. F. Hoke to attend the General Assembly, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 172, S. B. 58, bill to repeal chapter 736, Public Laws of 1901, separating the Sylva and Dillsboro Public School Districts for the Colored Race in Jackson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 206, bill to include Martin Brinegar in the boundary lines of Allegheny County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 17, S. B. 231, bill to fix the punishment for carrying concealed weapons, upon second reading.

The bill fails to pass second reading.

H. B. 274, S. B. 240, bill to amend chapter 730, Public Laws of 1903, by providing for the faithful performance of duties of stenographers, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 249, bill to amend chapter 58, Public Laws of 1903, relating to stenographers for Richmond County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 258, bill to prevent any and all fishing in the waters of Scott's Creek in Jackson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 269, bill to prevent the destruction of small menhaden in the waters of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 270, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Cumberland County to establish a board of fence commissioners for

Cross Creek stock law territory, and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 338, S. B. 281, bill to amend chapter 208, Public Laws of 1903, relating to sale of scrap metal, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 302, bill to prevent felling of trees in Moore's Creek, Pender County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 303, bill to amend chapter 645, Public Laws of 1901, to prevent fowls running at large in the town of Morganton, Burke County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

S. B. 306, bill to repeal section 3, chapter 478, Public Laws of 1903, in regard to mechanics and others in Wake County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. R. 310, joint resolution in regard to the South Dakota judgment and the bonds upon which said judgment was obtained, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

## EXECUTIVE SESSION.

At 12:45 o'clock the Senate goes into executive session.

At 1 o'clock the doors are opened and the Senate reconvenes.

Senator Scales reports that the Senate, in executive session, has confirmed the nominations made by the Governor as follows:

*Insurance Commissioner, for a term of four years on and after the first day of March, 1905*—James R. Young of Vance County.

*Directors of the State Hospital at Morganton, for a term of six years, beginning April 1, 1905*—I. I. Davis of Burke County, C. H. Armfield of Iredell County, and Joe Jacobs of Forsyth County.

*Directors of the State Hospital at Raleigh, for a term of six years, beginning April 1, 1905*—John D. Biggs of Martin County, Robert H. Stancill of Northampton County, and James M. Parrot of Lenoir County.

Upon motion of Senator Aaron, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock Monday.

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## TWENTY-THIRD DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 30, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. R. F. Bumpass of this city.

The Committee on the Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Bragaw, leave of absence is granted Senator Coxe.

Upon motion of Senator Empie, leave of absence is granted Senator Wright.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, leave of absence is granted Senator Sinclair until Tuesday.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Shell-fish:

By Senator McCulloch, H. B. 327, S. B. 214, bill to repeal chapter 414, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the shell-fish industry and to protect the shell-fish industry in Brunswisk County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 277, bill to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1901, so as to authorize the trustees of graded schools in Henderson, Vance County, to issue bonds to erect buildings, etc., with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Scales, S. B. 224, bill to amend section 23, chapter 164, Public Laws of 1899, establishing the North Carolina Corporation Commission, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 225, bill to amend charter of the Chowan and Aulander Railroad Company, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Odell, S. B. 300, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Chatham County to issue bonds to pay their present floating indebtedness incurred prior to January 1, 1905, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, H. B. 92, S. C. 124, bill to provide for the election of County Commissioners and justices of the peace for the county of Warren, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, H. B. 244, S. B. 239, bill to prevent obstruction of public roads in the town of Keyser in Moore County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Judicial Districts:

By Senator Fleming, H. B. 102, S. B. 262, bill to abolish the second week of the Spring Term of Superior Court of Lincoln County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Empie, H. B. 30, S. B. 205, bill to regulate holding of courts in Hertford County, with favorable recommendation.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Boyles, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as correctly engrossed, which is ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 303, bill to prevent fowls running at large in the town of Morganton, Burke County, and to amend chapter 345, Public Laws of 1901.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Bryan, by request, petition of citizens of Madison County against bill to refund debts of the county. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Ricks, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to Finance Committee.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Bills are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Duls, S. B. 362, bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Presbyterian Female College," ratified February 28, 1899. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 363, bill to amend chapter 750, Public Laws of 1901, in regard to holding town, city and special elections in counties and townships. Referred to Committee on Elections.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 364, bill to incorporate the Rouse Banking Company. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Senator Long of Person, by request, S. B. 365, bill to establish a State Laboratory of Hygiene. Referred to Committee on Public Health.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from his Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn, informing the Senate of certain nominations, and asking for the confirmation of such nominations by the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 329, S. B. 346, bill to authorize A. H. Boyd, ex-Sheriff of Caldwell County, to make certain deeds. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 408, S. B. 347, bill to incorporate Canton Lodge, No. 205, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 335, S. B. 348, bill to fix the time for selling real estate for taxes in Jackson County. Referred to Committee on Finance.

H. B. 199, S. B. 349, bill to amend the charter of the Southern Conservatory of Music, chapter 8, Private Laws of 1899. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 488, S. B. 350, bill to amend chapter 48, Private Laws of 1901, by changing the name of the Hertford County Telephone Company to the North State Telephone Company and conferring certain powers. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 442, S. B. 351, bill to incorporate the Jackson County Bank. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

H. B. 491, S. B. 352, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to expend money for the improvement of the court-house property of Durham County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 489, S. B. 353, bill to amend chapter 20, Private Laws of 1893, to incorporate the town of Mars Hill, Madison County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 434, S. B. 354, bill to amend chapter 2, Public Laws of 1901, to revise the corporation law of North Carolina, and to provide that in the absence of the secretary the assistant secretary may affix and attest the corporate seal. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 364, S. B. 355, bill to allow street railway companies to transport policemen and members of fire companies free of charge. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 437, S. B. 356, bill to amend chapter 68, Laws of 1903, relative to bridges in Carteret County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 449, S. B. 357, bill to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the city of Hickory to pay over to the trustees of the graded schools in said city $10,000 out of the proceeds of the sale of city bonds. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 258, S. B. 358, bill to amend chapter 428, Public Laws of 1901, authorizing the Commissioners of Duplin County to sell the Home for the Aged and Infirm, and for other purposes. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 392, S. B. 339, bill to repeal chapter 526, Public

Laws of 1903, and to regulate the working of the public roads and highways in Yancey County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 426, S. B. 360, bill to authorize the sale of parts of certain streets in the town of Shelby, and for other purposes. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 261, S. B. 361, bill to prevent hedging of fish in the waters of Carteret County. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 527, S. B. 246, bill to protect deer, squirrels and birds within certain dates in certain counties, on concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment of the House is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 470, S. B. 252, bill to incorporate Citizens Bank and Trust Company, on concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment of the House is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Long, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolution properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 352, S. B. 135, an act to amend chapter 79, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the Commissioner of Wrecks.

H. B. 369, S. B. 132, an act for the better government of the North Carolina Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb and Blind.

H. B. 284, S. B. 42, an act to amend chapter 321 of Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 35, S. B. 23, an act to incorporate Charlotte Park and Tree Commission.

H. B. 58, S. B. 172, an act to repeal chapter 736 of the Public Laws of 1901, relative to separating the Webster and Dillsboro Public School Districts for the Colored Race in Jackson County.

H. B. 265, S. B. 216, an act to repeal chapter 241 of the Public Laws of 1903, and to re-enact chapter 354 of the Public Laws of 1891, which is an act to provide for working the public roads and highways in Clay and other counties.

H. B. 274, S. B. 240, an act to amend chapter 730 of the Public Laws of 1905, by providing for the faithful performance of the duties of stenographers.

H. R. 524, S. R. 309, joint resolution relative to inviting the directors of the Jamestown Exposition to be heard by the General Assembly.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 254, bill to amend charter of the town of Woodside, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Ellington, Empie, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, Miller, Odell, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—30.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 84, S. B. 104, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Rutherford County to levy and collect special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 29, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alex-

ander, Beasley, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Ellington, Empie, Fleming, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Miller, Odell, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—29.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

S. B. 275, bill to authorize the board of trustees of Wilson Graded School District to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 29, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Ellington, Empie, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, Odell, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—29.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 276, bill to establish a graded school at Pinnacle in Stokes County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Ellington, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 419, S. B. 295, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Spencer, N. C., upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp,

Duls, Ellington, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Miller, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Stubbs, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 277, bill to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1901, so as to authorize the trustees of Henderson Graded Schools in Vance County to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Stubbs, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—30.

S. B. 300, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Chatham County to issue bonds to pay their floating indebtedness incurred prior to January 1, 1905, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 31, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Ellington, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—31.

H. R. 133, S. R. 310, joint resolution relative to South Dakota judgment and the bonds of the issue upon which such judgment was obtained, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Zollicoffer, the resolution is tabled.

H. B. 92, S. B. 124, bill to provide for election of county commissioners and justices of the peace in the county of Warren, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 30, S. B. 205, bill to regulate the holding of courts in Hertford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 224, bill to amend section 23, chapter 164, Public Laws of 1899, establishing the North Carolina Corporation Commission, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 225, bill to amend charter of the Chowan and Aulander Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 244, S. B. 239, bill to prevent obstruction of the public roads in the town of Keyser, Moore County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 102, S. B. 262, bill to abolish the second week of the Spring Term of Superior Court of Lincoln County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the Senate goes into executive session.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

At 12 o'clock the Senate goes into executive session.

At 12:10 o'clock the doors are opened and the Senate reconvenes.

Senator Burton reports that the Senate in executive session has confirmed the nominations made by the Governor as follows:

*Directors of the State Normal and Industrial College for the term beginning March 1, 1906*—S. M. Gattis of Orange, for the Fifth District; James Sprunt of New Hanover, for the Sixth District; C. H. Mebane of Catawba, for the Ninth District.

Upon motion of Senator Empie, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## TWENTY-FOURTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 31, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Bishop of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Turrentine, H. B. 71, S. B. 211, bill to prevent the killing of squirrels in Jones, Onslow and Franklin Counties. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Turner, S. B. 229, bill to amend chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, regulating the manufacture and sale of liquor in North Carolina. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 345, bill to amend chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, regulating the manufacture and sale of liquor in North Carolina. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Taylor, H. B. 229, S. B. 237, bill to prevent catching bear in traps in Swain County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 287, bill to enforce the use of the broad tire upon wagons using the public roads, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 176, S. B. 234, bill relating to the control and management of vehicles upon the public roads of Mecklenburg County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 301, bill to protect the property of railroad companies, with recommendation that it be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted and the bill is so referred.

By Senator Miller, H. B. 381, S. B. 326, bill to amend chapter 176, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the working of public roads in Cherokee County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Miller, H. B. 259, S. B. 242, bill to amend section 2058 of The Code, relating to the erection of gates across public highways, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Odell, H. B. 49, S. B. 219, bill to change the corporate limits of the city of Monroe, with an unfavorable recommendation.

Senator Webb files a minority report recommending the passage of the bill.

By Senator Watkins, H. B. 239, S. B. 203, bill to incorporate the town of Tabor in Columbus County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Shell-fish.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 342, bill for the better protec-

tion of clams in the waters of New Hanover County, with favorable recommendation.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Webb, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Aaron, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Turrentine, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Alexander, petition in regard to passage of anti-jug law. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 387, bill to amend sections 1933 and 2004 of The Code, relative to tax and fees for incorporation of railroads. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 388, bill to provide a fireproof depository for county records. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Crisp, S. B. 389, bill to repeal chapter 184, Public Laws of 1901, relative to defense of officers and persons prosecuted in the Federal Courts. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 390, bill to appoint justices of the peace for Elevation Township, Johnston County. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 391, bill to extend the corporate limits of the town of Rhodhiss, N. C. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 392, bill to facilitate the calculation of present value of annuities. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Boddie, S. B. 393, bill to establish graded schools at Youngsville, Franklin County. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 394, bill to amend chapter 275, Public Laws of 1903, revising the bank laws. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Senator Ellington, S. B. 395, bill to define what shall constitute evidence of premeditation in trials for murder. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 396, bill to allow the city of Greensboro to pay commission on sale of bonds. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 397, bill to extend the corporate limits and amend the charter of the town of Robesonville in the county of Martin. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Scales, a resolution in regard to appointment of subcommittee by Committee on Insane Asylums:

*Resolved by the Senate*, That the chairman of the Senate Committee on Insane Asylums be and he is hereby authorized to appoint four members to visit the State Hospital at Morganton.

The resolution is adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 240, S. B. 398, bill to exempt all persons under twenty-one years of age from public road duty in Columbus

and Tyrrell Counties. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 362, S. B. 399, bill to empower executors and administrators with will annexed, administrators *de bonis non* with will annexed to sell land bid in for the benefit of the estate they represent. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 391, S. B. 400, bill to repeal chapter 19, Private Laws of 1889, and validate a certain deed, and giving the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Southport, N. C., full authority to make and execute a deed to Pythagoras Lodge, No. 249, A. F. and A. M., of Southport, N. C. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 512, S. B. 401, bill to amend section 752 of The Code as to the time of publication of county revenues and charges. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 559, S. B. 402, bill to repeal chapter 575, Public Laws of 1903, relative to seining in Little River in Mark's Creek and Little River Townships, Wake County. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 99, S. B. 403, bill to incorporate Commercial and Farmers Bank at Enfield, Halifax County, N. C.

## ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Long, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills as properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 470, S. B. 252, an act to incorporate the Citizens Bank and Trust Company.

H. B. 402, S. B. 188, an act to authorize Winston Township and other townships of Forsyth County to issue bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of a street railway from High Point, North Carolina, to Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

H. B. 92, S. B. 124, an act to provide for the election of County Commissioners and justices of the peace for the county of Warren.

H. B. 244, S. B. 339, an act to prevent the obstruction of the public road in the town of Keyser in Moore County.

H. B. 102, S. B. 262, an act to abolish the second week of Lincoln County Spring Term of the Superior Court.

H. B. 30, S. B. 205, an act to regulate the holding of courts in Hertford County.

H. B. 527, S. B. 246, an act to protect deer, squirrels and birds within certain dates in certain counties.

H. B. 249, S. B. 11, an act to incorporate the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway Company.

H. B. 419, S. B. 295, an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Spencer, North Carolina.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 390, S. B. 367, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Madison County to issue bonds for the purpose of paying off the floating debt and old bonds of said county and for the construction of a jail. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 481, S. B. 368, bill to amend section 1 of chapter 103, Public Laws of 1903, relative to killing game in certain counties. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 485, S. B. 369, bill to prevent drunkenness in Chatham County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 412, S. B. 370, bill to relieve the Board of Agriculture from contributing to the current expenses of the A. and M. College. Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 394, S. B. 371, bill to repeal chapter 356, Private Laws of 1903, incorporating the town of Myrtle in Brunswick County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 301, S. B. 372, bill to extend the corporate limits of the town of Granite Falls in Caswell County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 438, S. B. 366, bill to amend chapter 349, Public Laws of 1889, relative to killing of squirrels in Bertie and Martin Counties. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 188, S. B. 14, bill to regulate the sale of cocaine, opium and morphine. Placed upon the Calendar for concurrence in amendment by House of Representatives.

H. B. 466, S. B. 374, bill to change the line between Crabtree and South Toe Townships in Yancey County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 523, S. B. 375, bill to charter Aaron Seminary at Montezuma, Mitchell County, N. C. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 532, S. B. 376, bill for the relief of Commissioners of Robeson County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 161, S. B. 377, bill to incorporate the Dover Southbound Railroad Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 533, S. B. 378, bill to protect fish in Robeson County. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 460, S. B. 379, bill to protect fish in White's millpond in Palmyra Township, Halifax County. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 464, S. B. 380, bill to prevent public drunkenness in Manly Public School District, Moore County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 427, S. B. 381, bill to protect deer and turkey in

Richmond County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 519, S. B. 382, bill to prohibit the shooting, killing and netting of fish in Goodwin's mill-pond, Perquimans County. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. R. 134, S. R. 383, resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives to support the Hepburn-Dolliver bill. Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

H. B. 534, S. B. 384, bill to protect game in Pamlico County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 447, S. B. 385, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the town of Morganton to establish a sewerage system in said town. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 477, S. B. 386, bill to amend chapter 72, Private Laws of 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva, N. C. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

A message is received from the House of Representatives requesting the return of H. B. 258, S. B. 358, bill to regulate the pay of jurors in Craven County, for further consideration by the House.

The bill is ordered to be returned to the House of Representatives.

## THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 277, bill to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1901, so as to authorize the trustees of Henderson Graded School to issue bonds to erect buildings, etc., upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alex-

ander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams—33.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 300, bill to authorize Commissioners of Chatham County to issue bonds to pay their present floating indebtedness incurred prior to January 1, 1905, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Fleming, Jones, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 49, S. B. 219, bill to change the corporate limits of the city of Monroe, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes 8, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Moore, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Williams —28.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Alexander, Bryan, McLean, Odell, Ricks, Scales, Watkins, Zollicoffer—8.

H. B. 239, S. B. 203, bill to incorporate the town of Tabor in Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McLean, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Stubbs, Turner, Turrentine, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 32, bill to regulate fishing in Albemarle and Pamlico Sounds and the waters connected with them, upon second reading.

Senator Stubbs, by permission of the Senate, withdraws the substitute formerly offered by him and introduces another substitute in its stead.

The question occurs upon the substitute offered by Senator Stubbs, and the substitute is lost.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 161, bill to prohibit cities and towns not having two hundred qualified voters from issuing license to any person, firm or corporation for the purpose of manufacturing or selling spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, upon second reading.

Upon request, Senator Long is permitted to withdraw the bill from the consideration of the Senate.

Upon motion of Senator Odell, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

## TWENTY-FIFTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 1, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. J. L. Foster of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Beasley, leave of absence is granted Senator Vann until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Beasley, leave of absence is granted Senator McCulloch.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, leave of absence is granted Senator Alexander.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports from standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 290, bill to protect game in Halifax and Warren Counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 104, S. B. 233, bill to protect game in Halifax and Warren Counties, with an unfavorable recommendation.

Upon request, Senator Thorne is permitted to withdraw the bill from further consideration of the Senate.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 440, S. B. 312, bill to amend section 1892 of The Code, so as to provide for the partition of mineral interests when title to the same has become separated from the ownership of the surface, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 260, S. B. 217, bill to amend chapter 89, Laws of 1879, for the relief of J. T. Donaho, ex-Sheriff of Caswell County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 90, bill to enable a married man whose wife is insane or a lunatic to convey his land free of dower, etc., upon certificate of superintendent of asylum.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 227, bill to cure defective orders to registration of deeds, etc., with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Vann, H. B. 341, S. B. 282, bill to extend the provisions of chapter 152, Laws of 1903, to Gates County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Banks and Currency:

By Senator Odell, S. B. 364, bill to incorporate the Rouse Banking Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Long of Person, H. B. 442, S. B. 351, bill to incorporate Jackson County Bank, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 112, bill to incorporate the Citizens Bank of Edenton, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Finance:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 165, bill to authorize G. R. McCaine, ex-Sheriff of Stanly County, to collect back taxes, with unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Webb, H. B. 47, S. B. 194, bill to fix levy and collection of taxes in Madison County.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 112, bill for the relief of J. T. Gaddy, ex-Sheriff of Anson County.

The committee reports that the relief asked for has been granted by a general bill.

Upon request, Senator Coxe is permitted to withdraw the bill from further consideration of the Senate.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Wright, S. B. 298, bill to incorporate the Yadkin and Transmontane Railroad Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, H. B. 378, S. B. 320, bill to amend charter of the Raleigh and Pamlico Sound Railroad Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 337, bill to amend section 1932, chapter 49 of The Code, entitled Railroads, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 241, S. B. 311, bill to amend chapter 97, Public Laws of 1903, to provide a better system for working the public roads of Jackson County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 267, S. B. 215, bill to amend chapter 281, Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 620, Laws of 1903, so as to require only six days' work instead of twelve in each year, and not to require the appointment of a supervisor.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Shaw, S. B. 251, bill to amend the general road law and extend its provisions to Vance County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Moore, H. B. 298, S. B. 241, bill relating to damage of bridges on public roads by traction engines in Chatham County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McCulloch, H. B. 321, S. B. 314, bill to amend chapter 425, Public Laws of 1903, to establish con-

vict system for working roads of Greene County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Miller, S. B. 181, bill to amend public road law of Burke County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 396, bill to allow the city of Greensboro to pay commission for selling bonds, with favorable recommendation.

### MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from his Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn, transmitting resolution of Trustees of the University as to the need of better equipment for that institution. Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 517, S. B. 404, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Sampson County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay the indebtedness created by building a court-house. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 388, S. B. 411, bill to amend chapter 455, Public Laws of 1903, so as to increase the number of Trustees of the Morganton Graded School; to provide for the election of their successors by the people, and to provide for an issue of bonds to purchase a site and build and equip a graded school building in said district. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 316, S. B. 412, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Caswell County to levy a special tax. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 317, S. B. 413, bill to allow the Board of Commissioners of Dare County to levy a special tax. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 294, S. B. 414, bill to consolidate, revise and amend the pharmacy law. Referred to Committee on Public Health.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Gilliam, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Aaron, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Long of Iredell, petition from citizens of East Bend, Yadkin County, in regard to the manufacture and sale of whiskey. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 405, bill to amend sections 2, 15 and 16, chapter 164, Laws of 1899. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Ellington, S. B. 406, bill to appoint Charles A. Separk, a justice of the peace in Raleigh township, Wake County.

The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 407, bill to amend chapter 54, Public Laws of 1899, to regulate fire insurance and other companies. Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Boyles, by request, S. B. 408, bill to protect the game of Surry County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Shaw, S. B. 409, bill to amend section 72, chapter 4, Laws of 1901, relative to special school tax districts. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 410, bill to place Mrs. Kate Faucette, widow of W. F. Faucette, Sergeant Company E, 13th N. C. Regiment, on the pension roll. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

## THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 49, S. B. 219, bill to change corporate limits of the city of Monroe, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 239, S. B. 203, bill to incorporate the town of Tabor in Columbus County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Odell, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—33.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 397, bill to extend corporate limits and amend charter of the town of Robesonville in the county of Martin, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 71, S. B. 211, bill to prevent killing of squirrels in Jones, Onslow and Franklin Counties, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading.

H. B. 327, S. B. 214, bill to repeal chapter 414, Laws of 1903, relative to the shell-fish industry and to protect the shell-fish industry in Brunswick County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 381, S. B. 326, bill to repeal chapter 176, Public Laws of 1903, in relation to working public roads of Burke County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third reading and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 229, S. B. 257, bill to prevent catching of bear in traps in Swain County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 176, S. B. 234, bill relative to the control and management of vehicles upon the public roads of Mecklenburg County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

S. B. 342, bill for the better protection of clams in the waters of New Hanover County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 99, S. B. 403, bill to incorporate the Commercial and Farmers Bank at Enfield, N. C., upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Thorne, the bill is referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

H. B. 257, S. B. 242, bill to amend section 2058 of The Code, relative to erecting gates across public highways, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 229, bill to amend chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, regulating the manufacture and sale of liquor in North Carolina, upon second reading.

S. B. 345, substitute for S. B. 229, bill to amend chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, regulating the manufacture and sale of liquor in North Carolina.

Senator Turner moves to amend the substitute:

Amend by striking out "fifteen hundred" wherever it occurs in the bill and insert "one thousand."

Senator Fleming offers a substitute.

Upon motion of Senator Fleming, the bill is made a special order for Thursday, February 9th, at 12 o'clock.

S. B. 90, bill to enable a married man whose wife is insane or a lunatic to convey his land free of dower, etc., upon certificate of superintendent of asylum, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

S. B. 181, bill to amend public road law of Burke County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 47, S. B. 194, bill to fix the levy and collection of taxes in Madison County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 267, S. B. 215, bill to amend chapter 281, Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 620, Laws of 1903, so as to require six days' work instead of twelve in each year, and not to require the appointment of a supervisor, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 260, S. B. 217, bill to amend chapter 89, Laws of 1879, for the relief of J. T. Donoho, ex-Sheriff of Caswell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 227, bill to cure defective orders to registration of deeds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

## SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 293, H. B. 467, bill to repeal act for the relief of B. R. Lacy, State Treasurer, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is made a special order for to-morrow, at 12 o'clock.

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

H. B. 298, S. B. 241, bill relating to damaging bridges on public roads by traction engines in Chatham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 341, S. B. 282, bill to extend the provisions of chapter 15, Public Laws of 1903, to Gates County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 290, bill to protect game in Halifax and Warren Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 298, bill to incorporate the Yadkin and Transmontane Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 241, S. B. 311, bill to amend chapter 97, Public Laws of 1903, to provide better system for working the public roads of Jackson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 440, S. B. 312, bill to amend section 1892 of The Code, so as to provide for the partition of mineral interests when title to the same has become separated in ownership from the surface, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 321, S. B. 314, bill to amend chapter 436, Public Laws of 1903, to establish a convict system for working the public roads of Greene County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 378, S. B. 320, bill to amend the charter of the Raleigh and Pamlico Sound Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 337, bill to amend section 1932 of The Code, entitled Railroads, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 339, bill to incorporate the Citizens Bank of Edenton, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 442, S. B. 351, bill to incorporate the Jackson County Bank, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 364, bill to incorporate the Rouse Banking Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 396, bill to allow the city of Greensboro to pay commission for the sale of bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 406, bill to appoint Charles A. Separk a justice of the peace for Raleigh Township, Wake County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 188, S. B. 14, bill to regulate the sale of cocaine, opium and morphine, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Odell, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## TWENTY-SIXTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 2, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. McNeely DuBose of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Arendell, leave of absence is granted Senator Turner until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Crisp, leave of absence is granted Senator Sinclair until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Miller, leave of absence is granted Senator Bryan until to-morrow.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Elections:

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 230, bill to provide for holding primary elections within Buncombe County and the city of Asheville. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Claims:

By Senator Watkins, S. R. 334, resolution to pay expenses of the inauguration, with favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 200, bill to amend Rule 10 of Descents, allowing illegitimate and legitimate

children of the same mother to inherit from each other. The committee reports a substitute bill, and recommends its passage.

By Senator Fleming, H. B. 340, S. B. 294, bill to validate judgments in which sales of contingent remainders have been made, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 412, S. B. 370, bill to relieve the Board of Agriculture from contributing to the current expenses of the A. and M. College, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institutions:

By Senator Turner, S. B. 133, bill for the benefit of the North Carolina Institution for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Fish and Fisheries:

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 253, bill to protect fish within twelve miles of the summit of Grandfather Mountain in Mitchell County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Health:

By Senator Coxe, H. B. 294, S. B. 414, bill to revise, consolidate and amend the pharmacy law, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 189, bill to incorporate the North Carolina Osteopathic Society, to regulate the practice of osteopathy, to provide examinations and license for applicants to practice, and for other purposes, with an unfavorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Finance:

By Senator Stringfield, H. B. 335, S. B. 348, bill to fix time for selling real estate for taxes in Jackson County, with favorable recommendation.

Senator Ward moves that H. B. 248, S. B. 76, bill to amend chapter 110, Public Laws of 1883, for the protection

of crops in certain localities, be recalled from the House of Representatives.

The motion is adopted.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolution properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 442, S. B. 351, an act to incorporate the Jackson County Bank.

H. B. 616, S. B. 396, an act to allow the city of Greensboro to pay a commission for the sale of its four per cent. bonds.

H. B. 241, S. B. 311, an act to amend chapter 97 of the Public Laws of 1903, being "An act to provide a better system of working the public roads of Jackson County."

H. B. 378, S. B. 320, an act to amend chapter 1 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1903.

H. B. 260, S. B. 217, an act to amend chapter 89, Laws of 1879, and for the relief of J. T. Donoho, ex-Sheriff of Caswell County.

H. B. 84, S. B. 104, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Rutherford County to levy and collect special taxes.

H. B. 298, S. B. 241, an act relating to damaging bridges on public roads in Chatham County by traction engines.

H. B. 341, S. B. 282, an act to extend the provisions of chapter 152, Public Laws 1903, to Gates County.

H. B. 51, S. B. 31, an act to authorize the County Board of Education of Mecklenburg County to borrow money and mortgage the public school building in District No. 2, Charlotte Township, to secure the payment thereof, and to subscribe for building and loan stock to the amount of $6,000 to provide a fund for the repayment of said loan.

H. B. 321, S. B. 314, an act to amend chapter 426, Public Laws 1903, being "An act to establish a convict system of working the public roads of Greene County."

H. B. 188, S. B. 14, an act to regulate the sale of cocaine, opium and morphine.

H. B. 327, S. B. 214, an act to repeal chapter 414, Public Laws 1903, relative to the shell-fish industry in Brunswick County.

H. B. 381, S. B. 326, an act to amend chapter 176, Public Laws of 1903, in relation to the working of the public roads in Cherokee County.

H. B. 239, S. B. 203, an act to incorporate the town of Tabor in Columbus County.

H. B. 49, S. B. 219, an act to change the corporate limits of the city of Monroe.

H. B. 257, S. B. 242, an act to amend section 2058 of The Code of 1883, relative to erecting gates across a public highway.

H. B. 229, S. B. 237, an act to prevent the catching of bear in traps in Swain County.

H. B. 440, S. B. 312, an act to amend section 1892 of The Code, so as to provide for the partition of mineral interests when title to the same has become separated from the surface.

H. R. 543, S. R. 344, joint resolution inviting General Robert F. Hoke to attend the General Assembly.

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 382, S. B. 415, bill for the better protection of public travel in Tyrrell County, and for the protection of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Tyrrell County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 7, S. B. 416, bill to amend chapter 339, Public Laws of 1903. Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 518, S. B. 417, bill to change the time for holding the election in School District No. 1 in the town of Chadbourn in Columbus County. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 383, S. B. 418, bill for the relief of M. E. Willis, a school-teacher in Hyde County. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 323, S. B. 419, bill to amend chapter 312, Public Laws of 1889, relative to killing fish with dynamite. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 395, S. B. 420, bill for the better protection of public travel in Tyrrell County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 325, S. B. 421, joint resolution endorsing the Jamestown Exposition and requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to favor an appropriation from the National Government. Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

H. B. 344, S. B. 422, bill to amend chapter 325, Private Laws of 1903, changing the name of the "Enterprise Savings and Loan Company" to "Waxhaw Banking and Trust Company." Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

H. B. 486, S. B. 423, bill to provide for the payment of Miss Fannie Wright, a school-teacher of Scotland County. Referred to Committee on Education.

The President announces the appointment of Senators Long of Person and Crisp as committee on the part of the Senate to invite General R. F. Hoke to visit the General Assembly.

## ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Boddie, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as correctly engrossed, which is

ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 90, bill to enable married men whose wives are insane to sell their real estate.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 365, S. B. 443, bill to amend chapter 89, Public Laws of 1901. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 465, S. B. 444, bill to amend chapter 366, Public Laws of 1901, and to provide for the election of road commissioners by a vote of the people in Monroe Township, Union County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 476, S. B. 445, bill to authorize the town of Spencer to issue bonds for graded schools, electric lights, sewerage and other purposes. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 452, S. B. 446, bill to regulate primary elections in Craven County. Referred to Committee on Elections.

H. B. 480, S. B. 447, bill establishing a graded school in the town of Spencer, and supplemental to an act authorizing the town of Spencer to issue bonds for graded schools and other purposes. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 343, S. B. 448, bill to amend chapter 56, Private Laws of 1899, being an act to incorporate the Bank of Chapel Hill. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Toms, S. B. 424, bill to incorporate the Flat Rock Special School District in Henderson County. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 425, bill to amend the law relative to the drainage of Mud Creek in Henderson County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 426, bill to amend the charter of the town of Raeford in Cumberland and Robeson Counties. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Boddie, S. B. 427, bill to establish a graded school in the town of Louisburg. Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 428, bill to permit County Commissioners to regulate the speed of automobiles, motorcycles and other like vehicles on public roads and bridges. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 429, bill to amend the charter of the Durham and Southern Railway Company, dated January 6, 1904, and issued by the Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina on January 13, 1904, and recorded in his office. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Grady, S. B. 430, bill to increase the number of Commissioners in Sampson County, and to re-establish the office of treasurer and provide for the appointment of same. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 431, bill regarding Public School District No. 7 in Wayne County. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 432, bill to place Richard Ward of Wayne County on the pension roll. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 433, bill to amend section 2222 of The Code, so as to promote agriculture by encouraging the holding of county fairs. Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 434, bill to require the re-running and re-marking of a portion of the boundary line between this State and the State of South Carolina. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 435, bill to place Remus Holland, an ex-Confederate soldier of Iredell County, on the pension roll. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Grady, S. B. 436, bill to amend section 644 of The Code, so as to allow service by publication in actions to set aside decrees of divorce. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 437, bill to confer police power upon deputy sheriffs and constables in Cooleemee, Rowan County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there, and to appoint J. M. B. Penninger a justice of the peace. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 438, bill to authorize County Commissioners of New Hanover County to establish a workhouse. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Arendell, bill to increase the number of Commissioners of Carteret County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 440, bill to drain Clear Creek in Henderson County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 441, bill to amend charter of the American Warehouse Company. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Long of Iredell, by request, petitions from citizens and women of Yadkin County asking that legislation be enacted taking whiskey out of Yadkin County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Eller, by request, petition from voters of Yadkin and Forsyth Counties in regard to the charter of the town of Shore. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator McLean, by request, petition from citizens of Yadkin County asking for prohibition in said county. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 397, bill to extend the corporate limits and amend the charter of the town of Robesonville in Martin County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Ellington, Everett, Grady, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 251, bill to amend general road law and extend its provisions to Vance County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Everett, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Stringfield, Stubbs, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—27.

H. B. 248, S. B. 76, bill to amend chapter 110, Public Laws of 1883, for the protection of crops in certain localities, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 176, S. B. 234, bill relative to the control and management of vehicles upon the public roads of Mecklenburg County, upon third reading.

Senator Duls moves to amend:

Amend by striking out one of the letters "l" in the word "control" in the caption and by striking out the period after the word "vehicles" in said caption.

Amend by striking out the word "and" in line 2 of section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "any."

Amend by inserting between the word "or" and the word "motor" in line 6 of section 1 the word "other."

Amend by inserting between the word "description" in lines 7 and 8 of section 1 and the comma in said line 8 the words "other than cycles or motor vehicles."

Amend by striking out the word "and" in line 17 of said section 1 and insert in lieu thereof the word "an."

Amend by inserting between the word "that" and the word "a" in line 22 of section 1 the word "at"; also by inserting between the word "in" and the word "public" in said line 22 of section 1 the word "any."

Amend by inserting between the word "speed" and the word "shall" in line 24 of section 1 the words "in any municipality in said county."

Amend by inserting between the word "authorities" and the comma immediately succeeding it in line 26 of section 1 the words "unless the public safety shall require it."

Amend by inserting between the word "vehicle" in line 28 of section 1 and the comma immediately following it the words "on any such public road or highway or any public street or place in said county."

Amend by striking out the word "exhibet" in line 47 of section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "exhibit."

Amend by inserting between the word "signal" and the word "and" in line 53 of section 1 a semi-colon.

The amendments are adopted.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, the further consideration of the bill is postponed until to-morrow.

S. B. 133, bill for the benefit of the North Carolina Institution for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 189, bill to incorporate the North Carolina Osteopathic Society, to regulate the practice of osteopathy, to provide examinations and license for applicants to practice, and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill fails to pass second reading.

S. B. 200, bill to amend Rule 10 of Descents to allow illegitimate and legitimate children of the same mother to inherit from each other, upon second reading.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 71, S. B. 211, bill to prevent killing squirrels in Jones, Onslow and Franklin Counties, upon second reading.

Senator Ward moves to amend:

Amend by striking out the word "Onslow" wherever it occurs.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 230, bill to provide for holding primary elections within Buncombe County and the city of Asheville, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and it is ordered that the amendment be engrossed and the bill sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 253, bill to protect fish within twelve miles of the summit of Grandfather Mountain in Mitchell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. R. 334, resolution to pay expenses of inauguration, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 340, S. B. 294, bill to validate judgments under which sales of contingent remainders have been made, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 335, S. B. 348, bill to fix time for selling real estate for taxes in Jackson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 412, S. B. 370, bill to relieve the Board of Agriculture from contributions to the current expenses of the A. and M. College, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 294, S. B. 414, bill to revise, consolidate and amend the pharmacy law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

Upon request, Senator Williams is permitted to withdraw S. B. 199, bill to change the time of holding the March Terms of the Superior Courts of Rowan and Davidson Counties, from the further consideration of the Senate.

Upon motion of Senator Williams, S. B. 48, bill to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, fixing the time for holding the courts of the Tenth Judicial District, is withdrawn from the Committee on Judicial Districts and placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

By consent, Senator Williams introduced S. B. 442, bill to change time of holding courts of February Term for Rowan and Davidson Counties in the Tenth Judicial District, and it is placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill passes its several readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

## SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 250, bill to relieve the Board of Agriculture from contributing to the current expenses of the A. and M. College, upon second reading.

Upon request, Senator McLean is permitted to withdraw the bill from the further consideration of the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate H. B. 467, S. B. 293, bill to repeal an act passed at this session for the relief of B. R. Lacy, State Treasurer, upon second reading.

Senator Boddie moves to table.

Senator Foushee calls for the ayes and noes upon this motion.

The call is sustained.

The motion to table prevails, ayes 20, noes 16, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Beasley, Boddie, Bragaw, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Grady, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Ward—20.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Burton, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, McLean, Stubbs, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—16.

The President of the Senate announces that Senator Vann, upon request, has been relieved from service on the committee on the part of the Senate to invite the directors of the Jamestown Exposition to address the General Assembly, and appoints Senator Bragaw to fill the vacancy on said committee.

Upon motion of Senator Zollicoffer, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

## TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 3, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Senator J. A. T. Jones of Johnston County.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Empie, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Senator Brown of Columbus County.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Iredell, leave of absence is granted Senator Jones until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Bragaw, leave of absence is granted Senator Stubbs until Tuesday.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Ward, S. B. 268, bill to make fishing with nets, etc., in W. K. Phillips' mill-pond in Franklin County unlawful, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Taylor, H. B. 438, S. B. 366, bill to amend chapter 349, Public Laws of 1889, relative to killing squirrels in Bertie and Martin Counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 464, S. B. 380, bill to prevent public drunkenness in Manly Public School District, Moore County, with recommendation that the bill be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted and the bill is so referred.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 437, bill to confer police power on deputy sheriffs and constables at Cooleemee, Rowan County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there, and appoint J. M. B. Penninger a justice of the peace. The com-

mittee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Long of Iredell, H. B. 534, S. B. 384, bill to protect game in Pamlico County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 364, S. B. 443, bill to amend chapter 89, Public Laws of 1901, with recommendation that the bill be referred to the Committee on Election Law.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 427, S. B. 381, bill to protect deer and turkeys in Richmond County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 427, S. B. 369, bill to prevent drunkenness in Chatham County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 288, bill to prohibit manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within three miles of Gold Hill Academy, in Rowan County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Claims:

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 292, bill to settle the debt due by the State to Florence P. Tucker, executrix of R. S. Tucker, deceased, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Federal Relations:

By Senator Pearson, H. R. 325, S. R. 421, resolution endorsing the Jamestown Exposition, and requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to favor an appropriation from the National Government, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Zollicoffer, H. R. 134, S. R. 383, resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to support the Hepburn-Dolliver bill, with a favorable recommendation.

By Senator Stringfield, S. R. 139, resolution relative to improvement of the postal system. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Scales, S. B. 336, bill to cause railroad companies to deliver to consignees freight with reasonable promptness, and to amend chapter 590, Public Laws of 1903, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 387, bill to amend sections 1933 and 2024 of The Code, relative to tax and fees for incorporation of railroads. The Committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 429, bill to amend charter of the Durham and Southern Railroad Company. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Military Affairs:

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 183, bill to disburse equal amounts of money *per capita* for land and naval forces for encampment, with favorable recommendation.

## ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Boddie, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as correctly engrossed, which is ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 230, bill to provide for the holding of primary elections within Buncombe County and the city of Asheville.

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 540, S. B. 449, bill to amend section 363 of The Code in reference to serving process of attachment. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 384, S. B. 450, bill to regulate the pay of veniremen and jurors in Forsyth County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 234, S. B. 451, bill to repeal chapter 627, Public Laws of 1903, relative to dumping sawdust in the streams of No. 11 Township, Madison County. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 595, S. B. 452, bill to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1903, for the purpose of paying half fees to officers and witnesses in cases where no true bill is found, to apply to the counties named in this bill. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. R. 651, S. R. 453, resolution authorizing joint Committee on Oyster Interests, etc., to appoint a committee of five, three from the House and two from the Senate, to visit shell-fish waters and grounds. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. R. 652, S. R. 454, resolution to prevent publishing of unnecessary laws and to publish intent of other laws in the proposed revision. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 598, S. B. 459, bill to amend the charter of the town of Oxford. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 487, S. B. 460, bill to change the law making the executor of an executor the executor of the first testator. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 468, S. B. 461, bill to amend section 505 of The Code, in relation to homesteads, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

H. B. 472, S. B. 462, bill to amend an act to regulate the sale of seed cotton, amending chapter 199, Public Laws of 1887. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 136, S. B. 463, bill to amend the law of evidence relative to written instruments. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 173, S. B. 464, bill to incorporate Grassy Creek M. E. Church, South, in Ashe County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. R. 628, S. R. 465, resolution directing the Treasurer to pay expenses of Committee on Penal Institutions for visiting the State Farm on Roanoke River. Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.

## PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Odell, petition in regard to amendment of the Watts Law. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Aaron, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to Committee on Finance.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 455, bill to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, so as to give the February Term of the Superior Court of Cumberland County jurisdiction of criminal cases. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 456, bill to amend chapter 101, Private Laws of 1887, amendatory of the charter of the town of Rockingham. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 457, bill to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Rockingham, Richmond County, N. C., to issue bonds to construct water-works. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 458, bill to incorporate the Greensboro Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1, of Greensboro, N. C. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 466, bill to amend charter of Guilford College. Referred to Committee on Education.

Upon request, Senator Grady is relieved from duty on the Committee on Shell-fish, and the President announces the appointment of Senator Toms to fill the vacancy on said committee.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 248, S. B. 76, bill to amend chapter 110, Public Laws of 1883, for the better protection of crops in certain localities, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 251, bill to amend the general road law and extend its provisions to Vance County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair.

Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—37.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from his Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn, recommending the passage of a law allowing criminal cases to be tried at the February Term of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, for the purpose of trying one Walter Partridge, charged with the crime of rape. The message is read and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Upon motion of Senator Sinclair, S. B. 455, bill to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, so as to give February Term of Superior Court of Cumberland County criminal jurisdiction, is placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

H. B. 176, S. B. 234, bill relative to the control and management of vehicles upon the public roads of Mecklenburg County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 294, S. B. 414, bill to revise, consolidate and amend the pharmacy law, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 429, bill to amend charter of the Durham and Southern Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Everett, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

S. R. 139, resolution in regard to improvement of the postal system, upon second reading.

The resolution fails to pass second reading.

S. B. 183, bill to disburse equal amounts of money per capita for land and naval forces for encampment, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 288, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within three miles of Gold Hill Academy in Rowan County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 335, bill to cause railroad companies to deliver to consignees freight with reasonable promptness, and amending chapter 590, Public Laws of 1903, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

H. B. 427, S. B. 381, bill to protect deer and turkeys in Richmond County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 534, S. B. 384, bill to protect game in Pamlico County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 268, bill to make fishing with nets, etc., in W. K. Phillips' mill-pond in Franklin County unlawful, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 485, S. B. 369, bill to prevent drunkenness in Chatham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 325, S. R. 421, resolution endorsing the Jamestown Exposition, and requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to favor an appropriation by the national government, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 134, S. R. 383, resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to support the Hepburn-Dolliver bill, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 387, bill to amend section 1933 and section 2024 of The Code, relative to the tax and fees for incorporation of railroads, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

H. R. 651, S. R. 453, resolution authorizing the joint Committee on Oyster Interests, etc., to appoint a committee of five, three from the House and two from the Senate, to visit shell-fish waters and grounds, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 437, bill to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at Cooleemee, Rowan County, and to prohibit

public drunkenness there, and appoint J. M. C. Penninger a justice of the peace, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and it is ordered that the amendment be engrossed and the bill sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 292, bill to settle debt due by the State to Florence P. Tucker, executrix of R. S. Tucker, deceased, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Toms, the bill is made a special order for Tuesday, February 7, at 12 o'clock.

## ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Long, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills as properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 267, S. B. 215, an act to amend chapter 281, Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 620, Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 551, S. B. 270, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Cumberland County to establish a board of fence commissioners for Cross Creek stock law territory, and other purposes.

H. B. 340, S. B. 294, an act to validate judgments under which sales of contingent remainders have been made.

H. B. 338, S. B. 281, an act to amend chapter 208 of the Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 47, S. B. 194, an act to fix the time for levying on real and personal property and collecting the taxes in Madison County.

H. B. 189, S. B. 21, an act to repeal chapter 513 of the Public Laws of 1899, relating to the sale of liquors on the Atlantic Hotel property in Morehead City, N. C.

H. B. 335, S. B. 348, an act to fix the time for selling real state for taxes in the county of Jackson.

H. B. 577, S. B. 273, an act to authorize the board of trustees of Wilson Graded School District to issue bonds.

H. B. 687, S. B. 455, an act to amend chapter 28 of the Public Laws of 1901, so as to give the February Term of the Superior Court to Cumberland County jurisdiction of criminal cases.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 16, bill to amend chapter 273, Public Laws of 1903, for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows, upon second reading.

Senator Zollicoffer moves to refer the bill to Committee on Appropriations.

The motion is lost.

Senator Eller moves to amend:

Amend by adding to section 1 of substitute bill: *Provided,* that widows who were married with soldiers subsequent to January 1, 1865, shall be entitled to receive such sum as they would receive if so married before January 1, 1865.

The amendment is lost.

Senator Scales moves to amend:

Amend by adding, *Provided*, that the auditor shall retain out of the pension fund a sufficient amount to provide a decent burial for every Confederate soldier of good standing, dying without sufficient means to defray the expenses, the said burial expenses in no case to exceed $15 for each burial.

The amendment is lost.

Senator Odell calls for the previous question.

The call is sustained.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

Senator Crisp moves that the vote be taken by rising.

The motion is adopted.

The bill passes its second reading by a unanimous rising vote.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered engrossed.

By consent, Senator Scales introduces S. R. 467, resolution to pay expenses of visiting committees to educational institutions.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the resolution is placed upon its immediate passage.

The resolution passes its several readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

By consent, Senator Mason of Gaston, introduces S. B. 468, a bill to incorporate Linwood Female College in Gaston County. Referred to Committee on Education.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 4, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Senator McLean of Scotland County.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Duls, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Senator Osborne of Mecklenburg County.

Upon motion of Senator Watkins, leave of absence is granted Senator Scales until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Odell, leave of absence is granted Senator Long of Person, until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Odell, leave of absence is granted Senators Zollicoffer and Webb until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Bryan, leave of absence is granted Senator Pearson until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Grady, leave of absence is granted Senator Aaron until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Aaron, leave of absence is granted Senator Ward until Tuesday.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 425, bill to amend the law relative to drainage of Mud Creek in Henderson County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, H. B. 25, S. B. 210, bill fixing weight and regulating the trade in corn meal. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Pearson, H. B. 329, S. B. 346, bill to authorize A. H. Boyd, ex-Sheriff of Caldwell County, to make certain deeds, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Toms, H. B. 215, S. B. 263, bill to amend chapter 51, Public Laws of 1897, as amended by the Public Laws of 1899, relating to public drunkenness in Buncombe, Transylvania and Henderson Counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 301, bill to protect the property of railroad companies, with unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 434, bill to require the re-running and re-marking of a portion of the boundary line between this State and the State of South Carolina, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 247, bill to regulate conditional pardons. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 223, bill to amend section 192 of The Code, relating to the place of trial of actions, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 118, bill to appoint J. A. Pierce a justice of the peace in Wilkes County, and permit him to practice law. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

Upon request, Senator Eller is permitted to withdraw the bill from the further consideration of the Senate.

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 434, S. B. 354, bill to amend chapter 2, Public Laws of 1901, to revise the corporation law of North Carolina, and provide that in the absence of the secretary the assistant secretary may affix and attest the corporate seal, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Crisp, S. B. 347, H. B. 403, bill to incorporate Canton Lodge, No. 205, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bryan, S. B. 458, bill to incorporate the Greensboro Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1, of Greensboro, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bryan, H. B. 390, S. B. 367, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Madison County to issue bonds to pay off the floating indebtedness and old bonds of said county and for the construction of a jail, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 438, bill to authorize the County Commissioners of New Hanover County to establish a work-house, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 426, bill to amend the charter of the town of Raeford in Cumberland and Robeson Counties, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 439, bill to increase the number of Commissioners of Carteret County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 296, bill to establish and provide for organizing the county of Hot Springs from the territory of Madison County, with unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 391, bill to extend the corporate limits of the town of Rhodhiss, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 477, S. B. 386, bill to amend chapter 72, Private Laws of 1899, to incorporate the town of Sylva, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 316, S. B. 412, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Caswell County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McLean, H. B. 534, S. B. 376, bill for the relief of the Commissioners of Robeson County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 491, S. B. 352, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to expend money for the improvement of the court-house property of Durham County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 304, S. B. 313, bill to provide for the appointment of a cotton-weigher for the town of Ayden, Pitt County, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 456, bill to amend chapter 101, Private Laws of 1887, amendatory of the charter of the town of Rockingham, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 338, bill to restore the name of Bruce Township in Guilford County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 394, S. B. 371, bill to repeal chapter 356, Private Laws of 1903, incorporating the town of Myrtle in Brunswick County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, H. B. 331, S. B. 316, bill to allow the Commissioners of Bertie County to sell part of the jail lot in the town of Windsor, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 426, S. B. 360, bill to authorize the sale of parts of certain streets in the town of Shelby and for other purposes, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Watkins, S. B. 272, bill to enable the Commissioners of Cumberland County to refund their bonds known as the jail bonds, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 480, S. B. 447, bill to establish a graded school in the town of Spencer, and supplementary to an act authorizing the town of Spencer to issue bonds for graded school and other purposes, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 39, bill to allow the Commissioners of Pitt County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 413, bill to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Dare County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 457, bill to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Rockingham, Richmond County, N. C., to issue bonds to construct water-works, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 447, S. B. 385, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the town of Morganton to establish a sewerage system for said town, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 301, S. B. 372, bill to extend the corporate limits of the town of Granite Falls in Caldwell County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 512, S. B. 401, bill to amend section 752 of The Code, as to time of publication of county revenues and charges, with recommendation that the bill be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

S. B. 388, bill to provide a fire-proof depository for county records, with recommendation that the bill be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 401, S. B. 328, bill to levy a special tax in Ashe County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 398, S. B. 327, bill to incorporate the town of Almond in Swain County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 437, S. B. 356, bill to amend chapter 68, Laws of 1903, relative to bridges in Carteret County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 598, S. B. 459, bill to amend charter of the town of Oxford, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 466, S. B. 374, bill to change the line between Crabtree and South Toe Townships, in the County of Yancey, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 476, S. B. 445, bill to authorize the town of Spencer to issue bonds for graded schools, electric lights, sewerage and for other purposes, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 440, bill to drain Clear Creek, in Henderson County.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Public Health:

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 365, bill to establish a State Laboratory of Hygiene, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Wright, S. B. 340, bill to allow the stockholders of the American Cotton Manufacturers Association (incorporated) to hold their meetings in or out of the State of North Carolina.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 441, bill to amend the charter of the American Warehouse Company, with favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Empie, H. B. 391, S. B. 400, bill to repeal chapter 19, Private Laws of 1889, and validate a certain

deed herein mentioned and giving the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Southport, N. C., full authority to make and execute a deed to Pythagoras Lodge, No. 249, A. F. and A. M., of Southport, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 308, bill to amend chapter 186, Public Laws of 1901, to permit administrators of deceased mortgagees and trustees to renounce the right to foreclose and to provide for the appointment of trustees to foreclose instead of the administrators, with favorable recommendation.

## PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Scales, petition asking for the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of liquor in Yadkin County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Scales, petition asking that the manufacture, sale and rectifying of liquor be prohibited within two miles of Macedonia M. E. Church in Yadkin County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

## ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Boddie, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills are correctly engrossed, and they are ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 387, bill to amend sections 1933 and 2004 of The Code, relative to tax and fees on incorporation of railroads.

S. B. 437, bill to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at Cooleemee, Rowan County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there, and appoint J. M. C. Penninger a justice of the peace.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introdueed, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Toms, S. B. 480, bill to amend charter of Hendersonville, in regard to eolleetion of taxes. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 479, bill to authorize the executors and administrators to provide gravestones for deceased persons. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 481, bill to amend chapter 270, Private Laws of 1901, to ineorporate the Citizens Savings Bank of Kinston, N. C. Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 482, bill to ineorporate the Appalaehian Interurban Railroad Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Grady, S. B. 483, bill to amend chapter 1799 of The Code, relative to the priority of crop liens and ehattel mortgages. Referred to the Judieiary Committee.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 484, bill to authorize the city of Durham to issue sehool bonds. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Grady, S. B. 485, bill to amend seetion 530 of The Code, so as to allow interest on eosts. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Eller, S. R. 486, resolution to memorialize the United States Senate to prohibit interstate commeree in adulterated foods, etc. Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 487, bill to prohibit public nuisances in Cross Creek Township, Cumberland County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievanees.

By Senator Bryan, S. R. 488, resolution to investigate the affairs and management of the Soldiers' Home in the eity of Raleigh, and the charges made by one Arthur C. Smith

against Messrs. Brooks and Stronaeh. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 489, bill to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the town of Waynesville to submit to its voters a eontraet for eleetrie lights, ete. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 492, bill to provide for the appointment of a eourt stenographer for Pitt County. Referred to the Judieiary Committee.

By Senator Miller, by request, S. B. 493, bill to incorporate the Watauga Turnpike Company. Referred to Committee on Publie Roads.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 494, bill to repeal ehapter 56, Laws of 1903, relative to stoek law in Federal Point Township, New Hanover County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievanees.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 495, bill to amend ehapter 581, Publie Laws of 1899, relative to the publie roads of Forsyth County. Referred to Committee on Publie Roads.

Upon motion of Senator Sinelair, it is ordered that 200 eopies be printed of the substitute offered by Senator Fleming to S. B. 345, bill to amend ehapter 233, Publie Laws of 1903, regulating the manufacture and sale of liquor in North Carolina.

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is reeeived from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, whieh are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 478, S. B. 469, bill to ineorporate the Tuckaseegee Railway Company. Referred to Committee on Railroad and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 450, S. B. 470, bill to work the public roads of Rutherford County. Referred to Committee on Publie Roads.

H. B. 556, S. B. 471, bill to extend and amend chapter 171, Private Laws of 1895, to incorporate the town of Pembroke in Robeson County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 535, S. B. 472, bill to incorporate the town of Andrews in Cherokee County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 567, S. B. 473, bill for the relief of Julia M. Lea, a school-teacher in Caswell County. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 566, S. B. 474, bill for the relief of Aaron W. Moore, a school-teacher of Caswell County. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 565, S. B. 475, bill for the relief of Albert Bigelow, a school-teacher of Caswell County. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 564, S. B. 476, bill for the relief of C. G. Lea, a school-teacher of Caswell County. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 561, S. B. 477, bill to prevent fast riding or driving across the public bridge at Rhodhiss, N. C. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 560, S. B. 478, bill to authorize and empower the Commissioners of Caldwell County to sell the old courthouse, etc. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 258, S. B. 358, bill to amend chapter 428, Public Laws of 1901, authorizing the Commissioners of Duplin County to sell the Home for the Aged and Infirm, and for other purposes. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

A message is received from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that that honorable body concurs in the amendment as to Jones County, but refuses to concur as to Onslow County, on H. B. 71, S. B. 211, bill to prevent

killing of squirrels in Jones, Onslow and Franklin Counties, and asks for the appointment of a conference committee.

The President announces the appointment of Senators Ward, Moore and Bryan as Committee on the part of the Senate to consider this bill.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 349, S. B. 152, bill to authorize the removal of actions where justices of the peace die or become incapacitated before the final determination of the action. The bill is placed upon the Calendar for concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

H. B. 507, S. B. 490, bill relating to killing deer in Cedar Creek and Beaverdam Townships in Cumberland County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 537, S. B. 491, bill to amend chapter 38, Laws of 1885, as to publication of notice of sale under mortgages, deeds in trust, etc. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 594, S. B. 300, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Chatham County to issue bonds to pay the present floating indebtedness incurred prior to January 1, 1905. The bill is placed upon the Calendar for concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

### ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 534, S. B. 384, an act to protect game in Pamlico County.

H. B. 548, S. B. 249, an act to amend chapter 58 of the Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 426, S. B. 381, an act to protect deer and turkeys in Richmond County.

H. B. 485, S. B. 369, an act to prevent drunkenness in Chatham County.

H. B. 550, S. B. 302, an act to prevent the felling of trees in Moore's Creek, Pender County.

H. B. 377, S. B. 41, an act to amend section 1027 of The Code.

H. B. 542, S. B. 154, an act to amend chapter 424 of the Public Laws of 1887, in regard to Reidsville School District in Rockingham County.

H. B. 573, S. B. 254, an act to amend the charter of the town of Woodside.

H. B. 354, S. B. 7, an act to provide for the cancellation of mortgages given in lieu of bond for appearance in criminal proceedings, or for security of costs or fine, in criminal actions.

H. B. 576, S. B. 224, an act to amend section 23, chapter 164, Laws of 1899, to establish the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

H. B. 294, S. B. 414, an act to revise, consolidate and amend the pharmacy law.

H. B. 403, S. B. 190, an act to incorporate the town of Troutman in Iredell County.

H. B. 575, S. B. 276, an act to establish a graded school at Pinnacle.

H. R. 325, S. R. 421, joint resolution endorsing the Jamestown Exposition.

H. R. 134, S. R. 383, resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives to support the Hepburn-Dolliver bill.

H. R. 651, S. R. 453, resolution authorizing joint Committee on Oyster Interest, etc., to appoint committee of five,

three from the House and two from the Senate to visit shell-fish waters and grounds.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 468, S. B. 116, bill to amend section 505 of The Code, in relation to homesteads, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 335, bill to cause railroad companies to deliver to consignees freights with reasonable promptness, and amending chapter 509, Public Laws of 1903, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 39, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Pitt County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

Upon request, Senator Fleming is permitted to withdraw the bill from the further consideration of the Senate.

H. B. 394, S. B. 371, bill to repeal chapter 356, Private Laws of 1903, incorporating the town of Myrtle in Brunswick County, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Empie, the further consideration of this bill is postponed until Thursday, February 9th.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the vote by which S. B. 335, bill to cause railroad companies to deliver to consignees freight with reasonable promptness, and amending chapter 509, Public Laws of 1903, passed third reading is reconsidered, and further consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, February 7th.

H. B. 349, S. B. 152, bill to authorize the removal of actions when justices of the peace die or become incapacitated

before final determination of the action, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 594, S. B. 300, bill authorizing the Commissioners of Chatham County to issue bonds to pay their present floating indebtedness incurred prior to January 1, 1905, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 259, S. B. 308, bill to amend chapter 188, Public Laws of 1901, to permit administrators of deceased mortgagees and trustees to renounce the right to foreclose, and providing for the appointment of trustees to foreclose instead of the administrators, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 304, S. B. 313, bill authorizing the appointment of a cotton-weigher for the town of Ayden, Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 340, bill to allow the stockholders of the American Cotton Manufacturers Association to hold their meetings in or out of the State of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 457, S. B. 356, bill to amend chapter 58, Laws of 1903, relative to bridges in Carteret County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 426, S. B. 360, bill to authorize the sale of parts of certain streets in the town of Shelby, and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 466, S. B. 374, bill to change the line between Crabtree and South Toe townships in Yancey County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 391, S. B. 400, bill to repeal chapter 19, Private Laws of 1899, validating a certain deed mentioned herein and giving the Board of Aldermen and Mayor of Southport, N. C., full authority to make and execute a deed to Pythagoras Lodge, No. 249, A.-F. and A. M., of Southport, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 598, S. B. 449, bill to amend the charter of the town of Oxford, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 331, S. B. 316, bill to allow the Commissioners of Bertie County to sell part of the jail lot in the town of Windsor, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 532, S. B. 376, bill for the relief of the Commissioners of Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 408, S. B. 347, bill to incorporate Canton Lodge, No. 205, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 434, S. B. 354, bill to amend chapter 2, Public Laws of 1901, to revise the corporation law of North Carolina and to provide that in the absence of the secretary the assistant secretary can affix and attest the corporate seal, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 215, S. B. 263, bill to amend chapter 57, Public Laws of 1897, as amended by Public Laws of 1899, relative to public drunkenness in the counties of Buncombe, Transylvania and Henderson Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 25, S. B. 210, bill to fix the weight and regulate the trade in corn meal, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 439, bill to increase the number of Commissioners of Carteret County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 247, bill to regulate conditional pardons, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 458, bill to incorporate the Greensboro Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1, of Greensboro, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 338, bill to restore the name of Bruce Township in Guilford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 434, bill to require the re-running and re-marking of a portion of the boundary line between this State and the State of South Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 426, bill to amend the charter of the town of Raeford in Cumberland and Robeson Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 223, bill to amend section 192 of The Code, in regard to the place of trial of actions, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

S. B. 438, bill to authorize the County Commissioners of New Hanover County to establish a work-house, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 425, bill to amend the law relative to the drainage of Mud Creek in Henderson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 441, bill to amend the charter of the American Warehouse Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 365, bill to establish a State Laboratory of Hygiene, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the bill is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 429, bill to amend the charter of the Durham and Southern Railway Company, dated January 6, 1904, and issued by the Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina on January 13, 1904, and recorded in his office, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—34.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 457, bill to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Rockingham, Richmond County, North Carolina, to issue bonds to construct water-works, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

S. B. 367, H. B. 390, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Madison County to issue bonds for the purpose of paying off the floating debt and old bonds of said county, and for the construction of a jail, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe,

Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

S. B. 391, bill to extend the corporate limits of the town of Rhodhiss, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes its second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

S. B. 386, H. B. 477, bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 72, Private Laws of 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva, North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Williams, Watkins, Wright—36.

H. B. 316, S. B. 412, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Caswell County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming,

Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

S. B. 352, H. B. 491, bill to be entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to expend money for the improvement of the court-house property of Durham County," upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

S. B. 456, bill to amend chapter 101, Private Laws 1887, amendatory of the charter of the town of Rockingham, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

S. B. 272, bill to enable the Commissioners of Cumberland County to refund their bonds, known as the jail bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

S. B. 417, H. B. 80, bill to establish a graded school in the town of Spencer, and supplemental to an act entitled "An act authorizing the town of Spencer to issue bonds for graded schools and other purposes," upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

S. B. 413, H. B. 317, bill to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Dare County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

S. B. 385, H. B. 447, bill authorizing the Board of Commissioners of the town of Morganton to establish sewerage system in said town, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

S. B. 328, H. B. 401, bill to levy tax in Ashe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

S. B. 372, H. B. 301, bill to extend the corporate limits of the town of Granite Falls in Caldwell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

S. B. 327, H. B. 393, bill to incorporate the town of Almond in Swain County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

H. B. 474, S. B. 445, bill authorizing the town of Spencer to issue bonds for graded schools, electric lights, sewerage and other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

S. B. 440, bill to drain Mud Creek in Henderson County, upon second reading.

Amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Beasley, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Ellington, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—36.

Upon motion of Senator Empie, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock tomorrow.

## TWENTY-NINTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 6, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by H. C. Moore of this city.

The Committee on the Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Bragaw, leave of absence is granted Senators Toms and Beasley.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Iredell, leave of absence is granted Senator Arendell.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, leave of absence is granted Senator Zollicoffer.

Upon motion of Senator Thorne, leave of absence is granted Senator Ellington.

Upon motion of Senator Odell, leave of absence is granted Senator Duls.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 284, bill to amend the Code, providing that illegitimate children shall inherit equally with legitimate children from their mother.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

### ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Boyles, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill is correctly engrossed, and it is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 247, bill to regulate conditional pardons.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Grady, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 437, S. B. 356, an act to amend chapter 68 of the Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 468, S. B. 116, an act to amend section 505, Code of 1883, in relation to homesteads.

H. B. 598, S. B. 459, an act to amend the charter of the town of Oxford, being chapter 21 of the Private Laws of 1885.

H. B. 331, S. B. 316, an act to allow Commissioners of Bertie County to sell unoccupied part of jail lot in the town of Windsor.

H. B. 654, S. B. 253, an act to protect fish within twelve miles of the summit of Grandfather Mountain in Mitchell County.

H. B. 304, S. B. 313, an act authorizing the appointment of a cotton-weigher for the town of Ayden, Pitt County.

H. B. 434, S. B. 354, an act to amend chapter 2, Public Laws of 1901, entitled "An act to revise the corporation law of North Carolina," and to provide that in the absence of the secretary the assistant secretary may affix and attest the corporate seal.

H. B. 215, S. B. 263, an act to amend chapter 57 of the Public Laws of 1897, as amended by the Public Laws of 1899, relating to public drunkenness in the counties of Buncombe, Transylvania and Henderson.

H. B. 391, S. B. 400, an act to repeal chapter 19, Private Laws of 1899, and validating a certain deed herein mentioned, and giving the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Southport, N. C., full authority to make and execute a deed to Pythagoras Lodge, No. 249, A. F. and A. M., of Southport, N. C.

H. B. 376, S. B. 109, an act to fix compensation of jurors in Rutherford County.

H. B. 406, S. B. 374, an act to change the line between Crabtree and South Toe Townships in Yancey County.

H. B. 526, S. B. 266, an act to amend the charter of the Yonahlossee Road Company.

H. B. 594, S. B. 300, an act authorizing the Commissioners of Chatham County to issue bonds to pay its present floating indebtedness, incurred prior to the first day of January, 1905.

H. B. 553, S. B. 306, an act to amend chapter 275 of the Public Laws of 1903 in regard to mechanics, laborers and material-men in Wake County.

H. B. 176, S. B. 234, an act relating to the control and management of vehicles upon public roads and highways in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 408, S. B. 347, an act to incorporate Canton Lodge, No. 205, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

H. B. 426, S. B. 360, an act to authorize the sale of parts of certain streets in the town of Shelby and for other purposes.

H. B. 349, S. B. 152, an act to authorize the removal of actions where justices of the peace die or become incapacitated before the final determination of the same.

H. B. 555, S. B. 303, an act to amend chapter 645 of the Public Laws of 1901, relative to the depredations of domestic fowls, applicable to the town of Morganton, Burke County, and Rutherford County, N. C.

H. B. 532, S. B. 376, an act for the relief of the Commissioners of Robeson County.

H. B. 498, S. B. 248, an act to establish graded schools in the town of Fremont.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 634, S. B. 496, bill for the relief of John W. Riley. Referred to the Finance Committee.

H. B. 320, S. B. 497, bill to amend chapter 53, Public Laws of 1901, to establish graded schools in the town of Rocky Mount. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 505, S. B. 498, bill to amend chapter 647, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the attendance of children in the public schools of Macon County. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 580, S. B. 499, bill to provide for allotting homesteads in land held in common. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 659, S. B. 500, bill for the better protection of the owners of swine in Tyrrell County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 88, S. B. 501, bill to regulate the pay of jurors in Greene County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 473, S. B. 502, bill amending chapter 715, Public Laws of 1901, relating to the payment of one-half fees to witnesses and officers in Caswell County when "not a true bill" is found. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 606, S. B. 503, bill to better regulate fishing in Currituck Sound. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 526, S. B. 243, bill to amend chapter 169, Public Laws of 1903, to protect water supplies, providing that said act shall apply to companies which may hereafter be organized, upon concurrence in amendment by House of Representatives.

The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 247, S. B. 65, bill for the protection of growers of ginseng, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Crisp, petition in regard to repeal of merchants' purchase tax. Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Crisp, petition asking that it be made a misdemeanor for a person to obtain money, goods, etc., with intent to cheat or defraud. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Crisp, petition asking for repeal of Constitution relative to exempting earnings, etc., and asking for the passage of a garnishment law. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Crisp, petition asking that the standard weight of a bushel of meal be made forty-eight pounds. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Fleming, memorial from doctors of Pitt County against the establishment of the osteopathic board. Referred to Committee on Public Health.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 504, bill to prohibit dealing in futures in Gaston County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 505, bill to punish barratry. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 506, bill to repeal section 210 of The Code, and to regulate suits *in forma pauperis*. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 507, bill to amend the charter of the town of Concord relative to lights and water-works. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 508, bill to provide a short form of crop lien applicable to Scotland County and amending chapter 329, Public Laws of 1901. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Fleming, by request, S. B. 509, bill to amend chapter 115, Private Laws of 1899, to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Greenville. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Sinclair, S. R. 510, resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to use their influence to secure an appropriation for the Cape Fear River.

Upon motion of Senator Sinclair, the resolution is placed upon its immediate passage.

The resolution passes its several readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 511, bill to protect sheriffs who have prosecuted or may hereafter prosecute persons for failure to pay certain taxes imposed by the General Assembly which may have been or may hereafter be declared unconstitutional. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 512, bill to amend chapter 100, Private Laws of 1891, relative to the town of Conoho, Martin County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 438, S. B. 366, bill to amend chapter 349, Public Laws of 1889, relative to killing squirrels in Bertie and Martin Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 284, bill to amend The Code, providing that illegitimate children shall inherit equally with legitimate children from their mother, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading.

S. B. 508, bill to provide a short form of crop lien applicable to Scotland County and amending chapter 329, Public Laws of 1901, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

S. B. 272, bill to be entitled "An act to enable the Commissioners of Cumberland County to refund their bonds, known as the jail bonds," upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 29, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Duls, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—29.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 401, S. B. 328, bill to levy a special tax in Ashe County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 352, H. B. 491, bill authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to expend money for the improvement of the court-house property of Durham County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 457, bill to authorize the commissioners of the town of Rockingham, Richmond County, N. C., to issue bonds to construct water-works, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 391, bill to extend the corporate limits of the town of Rhodhiss, N. C., upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 390, S. B. 367, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Madison County to issue bonds for the purpose of paying off the floating debt and old bonds of said county and for the construction of a jail, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw. Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 447, S. B. 386, bill to amend chapter 72, Private Laws of 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva, N. C., upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 447, S. B. 385, bill authorizing the Board of Commissioners of the town of Morganton to establish a sewerage system in said town, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw,

Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorue, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 301, S. B. 372, bill to extend the corporate limits of the town of Granite Falls in Caldwell County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 316, S. B. 412, bill authorizing the Commissioners of Caswell County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 317, S. B. 413, bill to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Dare County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw,

Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 440, bill to drain Clear Creek in Henderson County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

It is ordered that the amendment be engrossed and the bill be sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 476, S. B. 445, bill authorizing the town of Spencer to issue bonds for graded schools, electric lights, sewerage and other purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 480, S. B. 447, bill establishing graded school in the town of Spencer and supplemental to an act entitled "An act authorizing the town of Spencer to issue bonds for graded schools and other purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Ever-

ett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Thorne, Taylor, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 456, bill to amend chapter 101, Private Laws of 1887, amendatory of the charter of the town of Rockingham, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Watkins, Williams, Wright—27.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Boddie, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## THIRTIETH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 7, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. W. C. Tyree of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

### MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from his Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn, transmitting the report of the Commis-

sioner of Insurance relative to the condition of the various State institutions in respect to protection from fire. The message is read and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

A message is received and read from his Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn, relative to proposed legislation. The message is placed at the disposal of the various committees considering the matters referred to therein.

Senator Foushee introduces S. R. 547, resolution to print 500 copies of this message.

The resolution passes its several readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

A message is received and read from his Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn, transmitting the pay-roll of employees of the State's Prison. Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.

## ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Coxe, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as correctly engrossed, which is ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 440, bill to drain Clear Creek in Henderson County.

## ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Long, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills as properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 447, S. B. 385, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Morganton to establish a sewerage system in said town.

H. B. 316, S. B. 412, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Caswell County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 25, S. B. 210, an act to fix the weight of and regulate the trade in corn meal.

H. B. 491, S. B. 352, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to expend money for the improvement of the court-house property of Durham County.

H. B. 209, S. B. 308, an act to amend chapter 186 of the Public Laws of 1901, to permit administrators of deceased mortgagees and trustees to renounce the right to foreclose and to provide for the appointment of trustees to foreclose, instead of the administrator.

H. B. 593, S. B. 277, an act to amend chapter 91, Private Laws of 1901, so as to authorize the trustees of Henderson graded schools to issue bonds for the erection, furnishing and maintaining graded school buildings in the town of Henderson and Henderson Township, Vance County.

H. B. 317, S. B. 413, an act to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Dare County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 438, S. B. 366, an act to amend chapter 349, Public Laws of 1889, in relation to killing squirrels in Bertie and Martin Counties.

H. B. 401, S. B. 328, an act to levy a special tax in Ashe County.

H. B. 476, S. B. 445, an act to authorize the town of Spencer to issue bonds to secure and supply the said town with graded schools, sewerage, paved streets and for other purposes.

H. B. 301, S. B. 372, an act to change the corporate limits of the town of Granite Falls in Caldwell County.

H. B. 390, S. B. 367, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Madison County to issue bonds for the purpose of paying off the floating debt and old bonds of said county, and for constructing a jail.

H. B. 480, S. B. 447, an act establishing a graded school in the town of Spencer, and supplemental to an act entitled "An act authorizing the town of Spencer to issue bonds for graded schools and other purposes."

H. B. 477, S. B. 386, an act to amend chapter 72, Private Laws of 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva, N. C.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Mason of Northampton, S. B. 405, bill to amend sections 2, 15 and 16, chapter 164, Laws of 1899, relating to railroads, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator McLean, H. B. 364, S. B. 355, bill to allow street railway companies to transport policemen and members of fire companies free of charge, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 487, bill to prohibit public nuisances in Cross Creek Township, in Cumberland County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 240, S. B. 398, bill to exempt all persons under twenty-one years of age from public road duty in Columbus and Tyrrell Counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 428, bill to permit county commissioners to regulate the speed of automobiles, motorcycles and other like vehicles on public roads and bridges, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 465, S. B. 444, bill to amend chapter 366, Public Laws of 1901, and provide for the election of road commissioners by a vote of the people in Monroe Township, Union County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Shaw, S. B. 495, bill to amend chapter 581, section 1, Public Laws of 1899, relative to the public roads of Forsyth County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bryan, H. B. 561, S. B. 477, bill to prevent fast riding and driving across the public bridges at Rhodhiss, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bryan, H. B. 392, S. B. 359, bill to repeal chapter 536, Public Laws of 1903, and to regulate the working of the public roads and highways in Yancey County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 484, bill to authorize the city of Durham to issue school bonds, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 556, S. B. 471, bill to extend and amend chapter 171, Private Laws of 1895, to incorporate the town of Pembroke, in the county of Robeson, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 507, bill to amend the charter of the town of Concord, relative to lights and water-works, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 512, bill to amend chapter 100, Private Laws of 1891, relative to the town of Conoho, in Martin County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 489, bill to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the town of Waynesville to submit to its voters a contract for electric lights, etc., with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 480, bill to amend charter of the town of Hendersonville, in regard to collection of taxes, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Watkins, H. B. 366, S. B. 213, bill to amend chapter 43, section 2, Public Laws of North Carolina, relative to Morgan Township, Rowan County. The committee

reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Mason of Northampton, petition from the citizens of Northampton County asking that the anti-jug law be not repealed. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 612, S. B. 513, bill to amend the charter of the town of Lagrange, Lenoir County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 45, S. B. 514, bill pertaining to court fees in Martin County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 503, S. B. 515, bill to authorize and empower the town of Graham to issue bonds for establishing and maintaining a graded school. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 520, S. B. 516, bill to amend the charter of the town of Rocky Mount, as to levying and collecting street and privilege taxes, method of condemning and acquiring land for street and other public purposes. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 644, S. B. 531, bill to prohibit fishing in the millponds of W. K. Phillips in Wake and Franklin Counties. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 510, S. B. 530, bill for the relief of W. M. Watson, Clerk of the Superior Court of Craven County, for absence from office. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 579, S. B. 532, bill to amend section 754 of The Code, relating to register of deeds administering oaths, etc. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 640, S. B. 533, bill to amend chapter 153, Public Laws of 1903, relative to hunting on lands of another in Robeson County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 584, S. B. 534, bill to fix the pay of county commissioners in Northampton County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 601, S. B. 538, bill for the relief of F. L. Castellow, a school-teacher in Burke County. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 658, S. B. 535, bill for the protection of fish in the waters of Frying Pan Creek, in Tyrrell County. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 474, S. B. 536, bill to prevent the catching of fish in the waters of Forney's and Hazel Creeks in Swain County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 443, S. B. 537, bill to prevent hunting and fishing upon the lands of another without written permission of the land-owner in Martin County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 732, S. B. 539, bill to protect woodcock in Jones and Craven Counties. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 380, S. B. 540, bill in reference to the catching of fish in Cherokee County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 360, S. B. 541, bill to amend chapter 191, Public Laws of 1903, entitled "An act to restore local self-government in Perquimans County." Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 522, S. B. 542, bill to amend chapter 169, Private Laws of 1903, relating to Sylvan Graded School in Alamance County, N. C. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 458, S. B. 543, bill to fix times for holding the courts of Warren County. Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

H. B. 607, S. B. 544, bill to incorporate the Haywood Institute. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 336, S. B. 545, bill to incorporate the town of Hazelwood in Haywood County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 605, S. B. 546, bill to provide for better working of the public roads of Chatham County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 517, bill to repeal chapter 814, Laws of 1903, relative to stock law in certain territory in Mitchell County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 518, bill to incorporate the Bank of Dallas. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 519, bill to amend chapter 444, Public Laws of 1903, relating to overcharge on freight rates and loss or damage to freight. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 520, bill relative to certain churches in Martin and Pitt Counties. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 521, bill to revise the navigation and pilotage laws of the Cape Fear River and bar. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 522, bill to punish the willful or malicious taking or removing the waste, or packing, out of any journal box. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 523, bill to incorporate the Southport and Northwestern Railroad Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 524, bill to incorporate the Peedee Valley Railroad Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 525, bill to amend chapter 555, Public Laws of 1903, relating to stock law in Richmond and Scotland Counties. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 526, bill to incorporate the town of Lewarae. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Boyles, S. B. 527, bill to amend chapter 81, Public Laws of 1895, relating to warehouse charges. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 528, bill to repeal chapter 456, Public Laws of 1903, relating to protection of quail in Iredell County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 529, bill to amend chapter 216, Public Laws of 1903, relating to protection of quail in Iredell County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

## THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 284, bill to amend The Code, providing that illegitimate children shall inherit equally with legitimate children from their mother, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered engrossed.

S. B. 508, bill to provide a short form of crop lien applicable to Scotland County and amending chapter 329, Public Laws of 1901, upon third reading.

Senator Mason of Northampton, moves to amend:

Amend by adding "Northampton, Davidson, Halifax and Franklin Counties."

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 458, S. B. 514, bill pertaining to court fees in Martin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 366, S. B. 213, bill to amend chapter 43, section 2, Public Laws of North Carolina, relating to Morgan Township in Rowan County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and it is ordered that the amendment be engrossed and the bill sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 223, bill to amend section 192 of The Code, in regard to place of trial of actions, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 428, bill to permit county commissioners to regulate the speed of automobiles, motorcycles and other like vehicles on public roads and bridges, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the bill is referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 465, S. B. 444, bill to amend chapter 366, Public Laws of 1901, and provide for the election of road commissioners by a vote of the people in Monroe Township in Union County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 240, S. B. 398, bill to exempt all persons under twenty-one years of age from public road duty in Columbus and Tyrrell Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 392, S. B. 359, bill to repeal chapter 526, Public Laws of 1903, and to regulate the working of the public roads and highways in Yancey County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 556, S. B. 471, bill to extend and amend chapter 171, Private Laws of 1895, to incorporate the town of Pembroke in the county of Robeson, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 561, S. B. 477, bill to prevent fast riding and driving across the public bridges at Rhodhiss, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 489, bill to authorize Board of Aldermen of the town of Waynesville to submit to its voters a contract for electric lights, etc., upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Thorne, Turrentine, Ward, Watkins, Wright—27.

S. B. 507, bill to amend the charter of the town of Con-

cord relative to lights and water-works, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Thorne, Turrentine, Ward, Watkins, Wright—27.

S. B. 512, bill to amend chapter 100, Private Acts of 1891, relative to the town of Conoho, Martin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Thorne, Turrentine, Ward, Watkins, Wright—27.

S. B. 495, bill to amend chapter 581, section 1, of the Public Laws of 1899, relative to the public roads of Forsyth County, upon second reading.

Senator Eller moves to amend:

Amend by striking out all after the word "following" in line seven of section 1 down to and including the word "improvement" in line nine of said section.

Amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell,

Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Thorne, Turrentine, Ward, Watkins, Wright—27.

S. B. 484, bill to authorize the city of Durham to issue school bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Thorne, Turrentine, Ward, Watkins, Wright—27.

H. B. 393, S. B. 327, bill to incorporate the town of Almond in Swain County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Thorne, Turrentine, Ward, Watkins, Wright—27.

S. B. 487, bill to prohibit public nuisances in Cross Creek Township in Cumberland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 480, bill to amend the charter of the town of Hendersonville in regard to collection of taxes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 492, bill to settle debt due by the

State to Florence P. Tucker, executrix of R. S. Tucker, deceased, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Coxe, the Senate adjourns until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

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## THIRTY-FIRST DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 8, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. M. M. Marshall of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Senator Hill of Duplin County.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 522, bill to punish the willful or malicious taking or removing waste or packing from any journal box, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 305, bill to prevent persons not members of secret societies from wearing or displaying upon their persons the emblem or insignia of such societies. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 61, bill for the prevention of fraudulent trading, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Wright, H. B. 537, S. B. 491, bill to amend chapter 38, Laws of 1885, relative to publication of notice

of sales under deeds in trust, mortgages or other contracts. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 389, bill to repeal chapter 181, Public Laws of 1901, relative to defense of persons and officers prosecuted in the Federal Courts, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 511, bill to protect sheriffs who have prosecuted or may hereafter prosecute persons for failure to pay certain taxes imposed by the General Assembly which have been or may hereafter be declared unconstitutional, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 271, bill for the protection of livery-stable keepers, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Banks and Currency:

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 518, bill to incorporate the Bank of Dallas, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home:

By Senator Crisp, S. B. 332, bill to place tablets to North Carolina troops at Bethel and Chicamauga, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 304, bill to incorporate the J. M. Ray Camp United Confederate Veterans, Company K, Eleventh North Carolina Volunteers, and Company F, North Carolina Volunteers, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 257, bill to provide a room or hall in each county for veteran meetings, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Shaw, bill to amend section 1, chapter 103, Public Laws of 1903, relative to killing game in certain counties, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 228, bill to amend chapter 353, Public Laws of 1899, relative to working the public roads of Cumberland County, and to provide additional revenue therefor. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Elections and Election Law:

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 452, S. B. 446, bill to regulate primary elections in Craven County, with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Bragaw, the privileges of the floor are extended to ex-Senator Pharr, of Mecklenburg County.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the privileges of the floor are extended to ex-Senator John N. Wilson of Guilford County.

Senator Foushee moves that the rules of the Senate be so amended that the Senate will hereafter convene at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

The motion is adopted.

Senator Long of Person, chairman of the Finance Committee, informs the Senate of the appointment of a clerk for that committee.

This action is unanimously approved.

## PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Stringfield, memorial from the inmates of the Soldiers' Home, ninety-three in number, denying the charges of A. C. Smith. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Scales, petition asking for the passage of the Ward bill. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

Senator Ward introduces the following resolution:

*Resolved by the Senate,* That the stenographer now employed in the office of the Engrossing Clerk is entitled to the same compensation as other employees of the Senate, to-wit, the sum of $4 per day, beginning from the day of her appointment.

The resolution is referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 648, S. B. 548, bill to amend chapter 286, section 4, Public Laws of 1899, in regard to working the roads in Alleghany County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 501, S. B. 549, bill concerning Tucker's Grove Camp Ground Encampment in Lincoln County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 446, S. B. 550, bill to prohibit the placing of sawdust from shingle mills and saw-mills in the South Fork River in Burke County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 760, S. B. 551, bill to prevent the throwing, placing, running or dumping sawdust into the streams of Anson, Montgomery, Macon, Rockingham, Swain and Warren Counties. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 297, S. B. 552, bill to protect landlords and tenants. Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Grady, bill to amend chapter 548, Public Laws of 1903, increasing the salary of Brigadier-Generals. Referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

By Senator Grady, S. B. 554, bill to amend chapter 374, Public Laws of 1893, to increase the rank of Quartermaster-General, etc. Referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

By Senator Ellington, S. B. 555, bill to relieve William H. Worth, late Treasurer, of the loss sustained by the failure of the First National Bank of Asheville, the Western North Carolina Bank of Asheville, and the Bank of Guilford of Greensboro. Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 556, bill to incorporate the Asheville and Northern Railway Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Mason of Northampton, S. R. 557, resolution that the rate of taxation ought to be lowered. Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 558, bill to enlarge the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission relative to telegraph, telephone and express companies. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 559, bill to amend chapter 89, Public Laws of 1901, relating to elections. Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 560, bill to authorize and direct the issue of State bonds to provide sufficient funds to equip the State hospitals for the insane and the several State educational institutions with necessary permanent improvements. Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 561, bill to revise the charter of the town of Gibsonville, N. C. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 562, bill to incorporate the Southern Real Estate Company. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Fleming, by request, S. B. 564, bill to amend chapter 107, Private Laws of 1887, amending the charter of the town of Falkland in Pitt County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 566, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Richmond County to issue township bonds for good roads and to change the township line of Rockingham Township. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Long of Iredell, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills as properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 465, S. B. 444, an act to amend chapter 366 of Public Laws of 1901, by providing for the election of road commissioners by the people in Monroe Township.

H. B. 45, S. B. 514, an act pertaining to court fees in Martin County.

H. B. 728, S. B. 338, an act to restore the name of Bruce Township in Guilford County.

H. B. 240, S. B. 398, an act to except all persons under twenty-one years of age from public road duty in Columbus and Tyrrell Counties.

H. B. 623, S. B. 290, an act to protect game in Halifax and Warren Counties.

H. B. 650, S. B. 90, an act to enable married men whose wives are lunatics to sell their real estate.

H. B. 393, S. B. 327, an act to incorporate the town of Almond in Swain County.

H. B. 556, S. B. 471, an act to extend and amend chapter 171, Private Laws of 1895, entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Pembroke in the county of Robeson."

H. B. 371, S. B. 198, an act to protect the streams of Davidson County from sawdust and to forbid the felling of trees in the same.

H. B. 248, S. B. 76, an act to amend chapter 110, Public Laws of 1883, entitled "An act for the protection of crops in certain localities."

H. B. 726, S. B. 439, an act to increase the number of Commissioners of Carteret County.

H. B. 561, S. B. 477, an act to prevent fast riding or driving over the public bridge across the Catawba River in Caldwell County.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 335, bill to cause railroad companies to deliver to consignees freight with reasonable promptness, amending chapter 590, Public Laws of 1903, upon third reading.

Senator Mason of Gaston, moves to amend:

Amend by inserting after the words "each succeeding day" in line —— the following words: "*Provided, however,* the forfeiture shall not be collected for more than thirty days."

The amendment is lost.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 61, bill for the prevention of fraudulent trading, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

S. B. 257, bill to provide a room or hall in each county for veteran meetings, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the bill is re-referred to the Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

S. B. 304, bill to incorporate the J. M. Ray Camp of United Confederate Veterans, Company K, Eleventh North Carolina Volunteers, and Company F, North Carolina Volunteers, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 305, bill to prevent persons not members of secret societies from wearing or displaying upon their persons the emblem or insignia of such societies, upon second reading.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading.

The bill fails to pass third reading.

H. B. 481, S. B. 368, bill to amend section 1, chapter 103, Public Laws of 1903, relative to killing game in certain counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 332, bill to place tablets to North Carolina troops at Bethel and Chicamauga, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 452, S. B. 446, bill to regulate primary elections in Craven County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 537, S. B. 491, bill to amend chapter 38, Laws of 1885, relative to publication of notice of sale under deed in trust, mortgage or other contract, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading.

S. B. 511, bill to protect sheriffs who have prosecuted or may hereafter prosecute persons for failure to pay certain taxes imposed by the General Assembly which have been

or may hereafter be declared unconstitutional, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 518, bill to incorporate the Bank of Dallas, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 522, bill to punish the willful or malicious taking or removing the waste, or packing, from any journal box, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and it is ordered that the amendment be engrossed and the bill sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 489, bill to authorize Board of Aldermen of the town of Waynesville to submit to its voters a contract for electric lights, etc., upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 484, bill to authorize the city of Durham to issue school bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell,

Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—35.

This bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 495, bill to amend chapter 581, section 1, Public Laws of North Carolina, 1899, relative to the public roads of Forsyth County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 507, bill to amend the charter of the town of Concord relative to lights and water-works, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—35.

This bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 512, bill to amend chapter 100, Private Laws of 1891, relative to the town of Conoho, Martin County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 228, bill to amend chapter 353, Public Laws of 1899, relative to the working of the public roads of Cumberland County and to provide additional revenue therefor, upon third reading.

Amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

Senator Sinclair moves to amend:

Amend as follows: Strike out all after the word "county" in line 28 of section 1 down to the word "*Provided*" in line 32 of said section.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—35.

It is ordered that the amendment be engrossed and bill sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Empie, the Senate adjourns until 10:30 o'clock to-morrow.

## THIRTY-SECOND DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 9, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. C. L. Reid of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Senator W. P. Shaw of Hertford County.

Upon motion of Senator Odell, leave of absence is granted Senator Long of Person.

Upon motion of Senator Aaron, leave of absence is granted Senator Jones.

### ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Boddie, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills are correctly engrossed, and they are ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 228, bill to amend chapter 353, Public Laws of 1899, relative to the working of the public roads of Cumberland County.

S. B. 284, bill to amend section 1281, chapter 28, Rule 9 of Descents, by providing that illegitimate children shall inherit equally with legitimate children from their mother.

S. B. 508, bill to provide a short form of crop lien applicable to Scotland, Northampton, Davidson, Halifax and Franklin Counties and amending chapter 329, Public Laws of 1901.

S. B. 522, bill to punish the willful or malicious taking or removing of the waste or packing from any journal box.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports from standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 525, bill to amend chapter 555, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the stock law in Richmond and Scotland Counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 494, bill to repeal chapter 56, Laws of 1903, relative to the stock law in Federal Point Township in New Hanover County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 527, bill to amend chapter 81, Public Laws of 1895, relative to warehouse charges, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 529, bill to amend chapter 268, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the protection of quail in Iredell County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 640, S. B. 533, bill to amend chapter 153, Public Laws of 1903, relative to hunting on the lands of another in Robeson County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 443, S. B. 537, bill to prevent hunting and fishing on the lands of another without written permission of the landlord, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 659, S. B. 500, bill for the better protection of the owners of swine in Tyrrell County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 520, bill relative to certain churches in Martin and Pitt Counties, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 256, S. B. 319, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Caswell County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds

for the purpose of making and improving the public roads of said county, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Mason of Northampton, H. B. 448, S. B. 350, bill to amend chapter 48, Private Laws of 1901, by changing the name of the Hertford County Telephone Company to the North State Telephone Company and to confer certain powers, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Immigration:

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 186, bill to establish a Department of Immigration and to provide for the appointment and compensation of a commissioner. The committee reports a substitute and recommends the passage of the substitute.

From the Committee on Military Affairs:

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 554, bill to amend chapter 374, Public Laws of 1893, to increase the rank of Quartermaster-General, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 553, bill to amend chapter 548, Public Laws of 1903, increasing the salary of Brigadier-Generals, with favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, H. B. 40, S. B. 141, bill to amend section 2, chapter 147, Public Laws of 1885, to extend time for proof of deeds, with favorable recommendation.

## PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Scales, memorial of Thurman Temperance Union, asking for the establishment of a reformatory. Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Senator Foushee, petition from the citizens of Caswell County asking that distilleries be not removed from Milton. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Williams, petitions to repeal chapter 375, Public Laws of 1899, relative to public roads in Davidson County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Odell, petition from citizens of East Bend, relating to liquor-selling at Shore and Williams. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Scales, a number of petitions from citizens and Sunday-schools of Yadkin County asking for prohibition for said county. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 593, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County to fix the compensation of its chairman. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Bryan, S. B. 594, bill to amend chapter 187, Laws of 1903, relative to the public roads of Madison County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Crisp, S. B. 595, bill to amend chapter 198, Laws of 1901, relative to the date of marriage of Confederate soldiers and their widows. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Everett, S. B. 596, bill to re-establish the office of treasurer of Richmond County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Vann, S. B. 597, bill to amend charter of the town of Edenton, N. C. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 598, bill to incorporate the Beaufort and Western Railroad Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 599, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Gaston County to issue bonds in the sum of $300,000 to build public roads. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 600, bill to prevent the throwing, placing, running or dumping of sawdust in the streams of Guilford County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 601, bill to provide a method for drawing jurors for the Superior Court of Guilford County. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 602, bill to repeal section 1, chapter 365, Private Laws of 1903, relative to the corporate limits of the town of Waynesville. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 603, bill to amend chapter 109, Public Laws of 1903, relating to dispensaries in Johnston County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 604, bill for the relief of David S. Patrick. Referred to Committee on Claims.

By Senator Fleming, by request, S. B. 605, bill to establish a special local tax school district in a portion of Pitt and Lenoir Counties. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 606, bill to amend section 4, chapter 157, Public Laws of 1895, to provide for the election of justices of the peace. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 607, bill to amend the charter of the city of Durham. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 608, bill to provide for the stopping of all passenger trains running through county-seat towns, for the purpose of taking on and putting off passengers and baggage. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 609, bill to make the *fac-simile* signature used by James W. Price in his capacity as a notary public his true and lawful signature for all intents and purposes. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 610, bill to incorporate the Pinetops Banking Company. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 611, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Vance County to issue bonds for road purposes. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 585, S. B. 582, bill to regulate the time of holding courts in Jackson County and declare which shall be for the trial of civil and which for the trial of criminal cases, The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 741, S. B. 583, bill to amend the charter of the city of Asheville, to establish an electric and reservoir commission for said city and to authorize said commission to issue bonds. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 801, S. B. 585, bill to prevent persons operating saw-mills in Graham County from putting sawdust or permitting sawdust from their mills from going into streams in Graham County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 795, S. B. 584, bill to prohibit hunting and fishing upon the lands of another in Wayne County without the written consent of the owner. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 689, S. B. 586, bill to pay witnesses attending court of justices of the peace of Franklin County. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 752, S. B. 588, bill to regulate the fees of jurors in Currituck County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 515, S. B. 587, bill to prevent fishing nets and seines in Stony Creek in Hertford County opposite the lands of W. E. Sessoms and Mrs. T. T. Holloman. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 683, S. B. 589, bill to amend the charter of the city of Asheville. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 714, S. B. 590, bill to amend the charter of the town of Marshall in Madison County, relative to the election of chief of police and tax collector. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 742, S. B. 591, bill to regulate fees of County Commissioners of Currituck County. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 792, S. B. 592, bill to authorize the aldermen of the city of New Bern to sell the water-works and electric lights. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 768, S. B. 566, bill to abolish dispensary at Seaboard, Northampton County, N. C.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the further consideration of this bill is indefinitely postponed.

H. B. 672, S. B. 567, bill to amend chapter 173 of the Acts of 1895 in regard to lumber inspector in Pamlico County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 663, S. B. 568, bill to regulate the sale of seed cotton in Mecklenburg County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 194, S. B. 569, bill to amend chapter 79, Public Laws 1899, so as to consolidate wreck districts in Hyde County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 194, S. B. 570, bill to amend section 3834 of The Code and defining vagrancy. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 617, S. B. 571, bill to amend the charter of the town of Wingate, Union County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 767, S. B. 572, bill to amend chapter 26, Private Laws of 1891, the charter of the town of Wadesboro. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 669, S. B. 573, bill to supplement House bill No. 59. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 649, S. B. 574, bill to amend chapter 581, Laws of 1899, relating to the road law in Hawtree Township in Warren County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 423, S. B. 575, bill to prohibit the obstruction of Brushy Creek in Cleveland County and the placing of sawdust therein. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 769, S. B. 576, bill relating to the fees of the Surveyor of Wayne County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 638, S. B. 577, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the county of Jackson to construct and establish water-works in the town of Webster in Jackson County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 462, S. B. 578, bill to prevent hunting on the lands of another without the written permission of the owner, in Currituck and Halifax Counties. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 509, S. B. 579, bill to amend chapter 63, Public Laws of 1901, relative to hunting upon the lands of another in Craven and Jones Counties. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 661, S. B. 580, bill to prevent the obstruction of Swearing Creek, Davidson County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 431, S. B. 581, bill to amend chapter 330 of the Public Laws of 1903 by taking J. F. Gordon out of Wesley Chapel Graded School District in Union County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 655, S. B. 397, bill to extend the corporate limits and amend the charter of the town of Robersonville in the county of Martin, upon concurrence in amendment by House of Representatives.

The bill is placed upon the Calendar for concurrence.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 256, S. B. 319, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Caswell County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of making and improving the public roads of said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 40, S. B. 141, bill to amend section 2, chapter 147, Laws of 1885, to extend the time for proof of deeds, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 637, S. B. 491, bill to amend chapter 38, Laws of 1885, relative to publication of notice of sale under deeds in trust, mortgages and other contracts, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 61, bill for the prevention of fraudulent trading, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Ward, the special order for to-day at 12 o'clock, S. B. 345, bill to amend chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, regulating the manufacture and sale of liquor in North Carolina is made a special order for to-morrow at 12 o'clock.

H. B. 655, S. B. 392, bill to extend the corporate limits and amend the charter of the town of Robersonville in the county of Martin, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting the following resolution:

H. R. 821, S. R. 612, resolution in regard to the death of Dr. C. W. Phipps, Representative from Watauga County.

The resolution passes its several readings and is ordered enrolled.

The President announces the appointment of Senators Taylor and Long of Iredell as committee on the part of the Senate provided for in the above resolution.

Upon motion of Senator Taylor, the Senate adjourns in respect to the memory of Dr. C. W. Phipps, late representative from the county of Watauga, until 10:30 o'clock to-morrow.

## THIRTY-THIRD DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 10, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Senator McLean of Scotland County.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the courtesies of the floor are extended ex-Senator E. S. Parker.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Pearson, H. B. 384, S. B. 450, bill to regulate the pay of veniremen and jurors in Forsyth County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 504, bill to prohibit dealing in futures in Gaston County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Pearson, H. B. 503, S. B. 515, bill to authorize and empower the town of Graham to issue bonds for the establishment and maintenance of graded schools.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Pearson, H. B. 106, S. B. 324, bill to authorize the Board of Education of Yancey County to refund to N. W. Horton, ex-sheriff of said county, forty dollars out of the general school fund of said county, etc., with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 119, bill to amend chapter 382, Public Laws of 1903, providing for the election of trustees of Cross Creek graded schools in Cumberland County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Pearson, H. B. 523, S. B. 375, bill to charter Aaron Seminary in Montezuma, Mitchell County, N. C.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 427, bill to establish a graded school in the town of Louisburg, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Boddie, H. B. 196, S. B. 323, bill for the relief of Miss Annie Clegg of Chatham County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 383, S. B. 418, bill for the relief of M. E. Willie, a school-teacher of Hyde County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 358, S. B. 318, bill to incorporate the Bryson City Graded School, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 518, S. B. 417, bill to change the time for holding the election in School District No. 1 in the town of Chadbourn, Columbus County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 468, bill to incorporate Linwood Female College, in Gaston County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 393, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Youngsville, Franklin County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Mason of Northampton County, S. B. 260, bill to amend public school law of Wake County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 223, S. B. 325, bill to authorize the County Board of Education of Wake County to make an appropriation out of the county school fund to aid the Wake County Woman's Association for the Betterment of the Public Schools, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Grady, S. B. 91, bill to require the churches, school-houses, barns and pack-houses of certain territory in Pitt County to be enclosed so as to prevent hogs and other

stock from going and resting thereunder, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Grady, H. B. 165, S. B. 173, bill for the relief of the Piedmont Land and Manufacturing Company, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 505, S. B. 498, bill to amend chapter 647, Public Laws of 1903, relative to attendance of children in the public schools of Macon County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 486, S. B. 423, bill to provide for the relief of Miss Fannie Wright, a school-teacher of Scotland County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 202, bill to extend and define the boundaries of the graded school district at Greenville, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 362, bill to amend act incorporating the Presbyterian Female College, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 388, S. B. 411, bill to amend chapter 455, Public Laws of 1903, so as to increase the number of trustees of the Morganton graded schools, to provide for the election of their successors by the people, etc., with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 601, S. B. 538, bill for the relief of F. L. Castellow, a school-teacher of Bertie County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Stringfield, H. B. 199, S. B. 349, bill to amend the charter of the Southern Conservatory of Music, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 466, bill amendatory of the charter of Guilford College, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 607, S. B. 544, bill to incorporate the Haywood Institute, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Ricks, S. B. 416, bill to amend chapter 339, Laws of 1903, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Everett, H. B. 297, S. B. 552, bill to protect landlords and tenants.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home:

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 257, bill to provide a room or hall in each county for veteran meetings.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Burton, H. B. 161, S. B. 377, bill to incorporate the Dover Southbound Railroad Company.

The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 275, bill to amend section 22, chapter 164, Public Laws of 1899, with reference to newspaper transportation, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Vann, S. B. 524, bill to incorporate the Peedee Valley Railroad Company, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Vann, S. B. 597, bill to amend charter of the town of Edenton, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 46, S. B. 212, bill to elect the County Commissioners of Washington County and justices of the peace for said county by the qualified voters thereof, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, H. B. 398, S. B. 317, bill to amend chapter 101, Laws of 1901, changing the corporate limits of the town of Boardman in Columbus County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 602, bill to repeal seetion 1, ehapter 365, Private Laws of 1905, relative to the town of Waynesville, with favorable reeommendation.

H. B. 336, S. B. 545, bill to ineorporate the town of Hazlewood in Haywood County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 517, bill to repeal ehapter 418, Laws of 1903, relating to the stoek law in eertain territory in Mitchell County.

The eommittee reports a substitute, and reeommends the passage of the substitute.

H. B. 669, S. B. 673, bill to supplement H. B. 59, with favorable reeommendation.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 593, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County to fix the eompensation of its chairman, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 526, bill to ineorporate the town of Lewarae, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 638, S. B. 577, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the eounty of Jaekson to eonstruet and establish water-works in the town of Webster, Jaekson County, with favorable reeommendation.

H. B. 617, S. B. 571, bill to amend eharter of the town of Wingate in Union County, with favorable reeommendation.

S. B. 561, bill to revise the eharter of the town of Gibsonville, N. C., with favorable reeommendation.

H. B. 769, S. B. 576, bill relating to the fees of Surveyor of Wayne County, with favorable reeommendation.

## PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Long, of Iredell, petition from voters of Yadkin County asking for prohibition. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievanees.

By Senator Zollicoffer, petition from citizens of Vance County urging the passage of the Ward bill. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Bragaw, petition from citizens of Dare County asking for the passage of the Ward bill. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Zollicoffer, petition from citizens of Vance County asking for passage of an anti-jug law. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 613, bill to amend section 6, chapter 243, Private Laws of 1901, establishing graded schools in Mount Olive, N. C. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 614, bill to amend charter of the city of Asheville relative to cemeteries and prescribing rules and regulations governing them. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 615, bill to provide a State purchasing agent. Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 616, bill to incorporate the Great Peedee Electric and Power Company. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 617, bill to regulate elections in Buncombe County. Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 618, bill to amend chapter 715, Laws of 1901, to allow justices of the peace one-half fees in certain cases. Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 619, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to levy a special tax. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Williams, S. B. 630, bill to revise and amend the charter of the town of Norwood, N. C. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 631, bill to incorporate the Edgecombe Railway Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Coxe, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as correctly engrossed, and it is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 200, bill to amend Rule 10, chapter 28 of The Code, relating to descents.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolution properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 481, S. B. 368, an act to amend section 1 of chapter 103 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to killing game in certain counties.

H. B. 366, S. B. 213, an act to amend chapter 43, section 2 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of the year 1903.

H. B. 392, S. B. 359, an act to repeal chapter 526, Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 452, S. B. 446, an act to regulate the primary elections in Craven County.

H. B. 537, S. B. 491, an act to amend chapter 38, Laws of 1885, relative to the publication of notices of sales under deed in trust, mortgage or other contract.

H. R. 821, S. R. 612, joint resolution in regard to the death of Doctor C. W. Phipps, Representative from Watauga County.

H. B. 655, S. B. 397, an act to extend the corporate limits and to amend the charter of the town of Robersonville, Martin County.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 256, S. B. 319, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Caswell County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of making and improving the public roads of said county, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 427, bill to establish a graded school in the town of Louisburg, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

S. B. 202, bill to extend and define the boundaries of the graded school district of the Greenville Graded School and

to amend chapter 106 of the Private Laws of 1903, establishing said schools, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 388, S. B. 411, bill to amend chapter 455, Public Laws of 1903, so as to increase the number of trustees of the Morganton Graded School, to provide for the election of their successors by the people and to provide for an issue of bonds to purchase a site and to build and equip a graded school building in said district, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, McLean, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Ward, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 398, S. B. 317, bill to amend chapter 101, Laws of 1891, changing the corporate limits of the town of Boardman in Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Mason of

Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, McLean, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Ward, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

S. B. 524, bill to incorporate the Peedee Valley Railway Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

S. B. 561, bill to revise the charter of the town of Gibsonville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, McLean, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 617, S. B. 571, bill to amend the charter of the town of Wingate, Union County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, McLean, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs,

Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 638, S. B. 577, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the county of Jackson to construct and establish water-works in the town of Webster in Jackson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne. Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

S. B. 526, bill to incorporate the town of Lewarae, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 358, S. B. 318, bill to incorporate the Bryson City Graded School, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield,

Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

S. B. 393, bill to establish graded schools at Youngsville, Franklin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 336, S. B. 545, bill to incorporate the town of Hazlewood in Haywood County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Everett, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 503, S. B. 515, bill to authorize and empower the town of Graham to issue bonds for the establishment and maintenance of a graded school, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Fleming, Empie, Everett, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, McCulloch, Pear-

son, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message was received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which were read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 831, S. B. 620, bill to regulate the hunting of pheasants in Randolph County.

The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 678, S. B. 621, bill to protect wild turkeys in the county of Davie. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 635, S. B. 622, bill to amend chapter 85 of the Public Laws of 1887 entitled "An act relating to public schools in the town of Durham." Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 277, S. B. 623, bill to provide for the collection of taxes from persons who have removed from counties after tax lists are put in the hands of sheriff for collection. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 701, S. B. 624, bill to amend chapter 719, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the use of tires on wagons in certain counties. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 569, S. B. 625, bill to incorporate the town of Salemburg in Sampson County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 862, S. B. 226, bill to improve the public roads in Valley Township in Cherokee County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 671, S. B. 627, bill prohibiting the sale of cigarettes within two miles of Sharp Institute, Rockingham County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 800, S. B. 628, bill to re-arrange and index the Superior Court records and files of Montgomery County by direction of county commissioners. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 482, S. B. 629, bill relating to the office of county superintendents of schools for Rockingham County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

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is resumed.

S. B. 597, bill to amend charter of the town of Edenton, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 329, S. B. 346, bill to authorize A. H. Boyd, ex-Sheriff of Caldwell County, to make certain deeds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 186, bill to establish a Department of Immigration and provide for the appointment and compensation of a commissioner.

Upon motion of Senator Eller, it is ordered that 200 copies of this bill be printed, and it is made a special order for next Tuesday, February 14th, at 12 o'clock.

H. B. 585, S. B. 582, bill to regulate the time of holding courts in Jackson County and provide which shall be for the trial of civil and which for the trial of criminal actions, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 649, S. B. 574, bill to amend chapter 581, Laws of 1899, relating to the road law in Hawtree Township in Warren County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 554, bill to amend chapter 374, Public Laws of 1903, to increase the rank of Quartermaster-General, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Grady, the further consideration of the bill is postponed until next Tuesday.

H. B. 443, S. B. 537, bill to prevent hunting and fishing on the lands of another without written permission of the landlord in Goose Nest Township, Martin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 640, S. B. 533, bill to amend chapter 153, Public Laws of 1903, relative to hunting on the lands of another in Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 529, bill to amend chapter 268, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the protection of quail in Iredell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 525, bill to amend chapter 555, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the stock law in Richmond and Scotland Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 520, bill relative to certain churches in Martin and Pitt Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 659, S. B. 500, bill for the better protection of the owners of swine in Tyrrell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 494, bill to repeal chapter 56, Laws of 1903, relative to the stock law in Federal Point Township in New Hanover County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 488, S. B. 350, bill to amend chapter 48, Private Laws of 1901, by changing the name of the Hertford County Telephone Company to the North State Telephone Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 491, bill to require churches, school-houses, barns and pack-houses of certain territory in Pitt County to be enclosed so as to prevent hogs and other stock from going and resting under them, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 119, bill to amend chapter 382, Public Laws of 1903, providing for the election of trustees of Cross Creek Graded School in Cumberland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 46, S. B. 212, bill to elect County Commissioners of Washington County and justices of the peace for said county by qualified voters thereof, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 165, S. B. 173, bill for the relief of the Piedmont Land and Manufacturing Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 360, bill to amend public school law of Wake County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 61, S. B. 538, bill for the relief of F. L. Castellow, a school-teacher of Bertie County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 275, bill to amend section 22, chapter 164, Public Laws of 1899, with reference to newspaper transportation, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 195, S. B. 323, bill for the relief of Miss Annie Clegg of Chatham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 106, S. B. 324, bill to authorize the Board of Education of Yancey County to refund to N. W. Horton, ex-treasurer of Yancey County, forty dollars out of the general school fund, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 223, S. B. 325, bill to authorize the County Board of Education of Wake County to make an appropriation out of the school fund to aid the Wake County Woman's Association for the Betterment of the Public Schools, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 199, S. B. 349, bill to amend the charter of the Southern Conservatory of Music, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 362, bill to amend the act incorporating the Presbyterian Female College, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 468, bill to incorporate the Linwood Female College in Gaston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 523, S. B. 375, bill to charter the Aaron Seminary at Montezuma, Mitchell County, N. C., upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 161, S. B. 377, bill to incorporate the Dover Southbound Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 486, S. B. 423, bill for the relief of Miss Fannie Wright, a school-teacher of Scotland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 607, S. B. 544, bill to incorporate Haywood Institute, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Gilliam, H. R. 628, S. R. 465, resolution directing the treasurer to pay the expenses of the Committee on Penal Institutions in visiting the State Farm on the Roanoke River, is recalled from the Committee on Penal Institutions and placed upon its immediate passage.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 345, bill to amend chapter 233, Pub-

lic Laws of 1903, regulating the manufacture and sale of liquor in North Carolina, upon second reading.

Senator Vann moves to amend:

Add at the end of said act: "*Provided*, that this act shall not go into effect until January 1, 1906."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Vann moves to amend:

Amend by making "1500" read "500" wherever it is used.

The amendment is lost.

Senator Crisp moves to amend:

Amend by striking out all after the words "North Carolina" in line 11 of section 1 down to section 7 of said act.

The amendment is lost.

Senator Ward calls for the previous question and for the ayes and noes.

The call is sustained.

Senator Fleming withdraws the substitute offered by him.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 25, noes 16, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Everett, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Odell, Scales, Stringfield, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—25.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Aaron, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Miller, Ricks, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Williams—16.

Senator Scales moves that the rules be suspended and the bill placed upon its third reading.

The motion is lost.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. R. 766, S. R. 633, resolution directing the treasurer to refund to the Nantahala Company certain funds. Referred to Committee on Claims.

H. B. 61, S. B. 634, bill to prevent misrepresentation in connection with the sale of merchandise. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By consent, Senator Alexander introduces S. B. 632, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to refund the debt incurred by Rutherford County in subscribing $100,000 of the capital stock of the Rutherford Railway Construction Company and provide for the payment of the same. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

Upon motion of Senator Williams, the Senate adjourns until 10:30 o'clock to-morrow.

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## THIRTY-FOURTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 11, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. A. H. Moment of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Person, leave of absence is granted Senator Odell until Monday.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 732, S. B. 539, bill to protect woodcock in Jones and Craven Counties, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Claims:

By Senator Ward, H. R. 766, S. R. 633, resolution directing the treasurer to refund to the Nantahala Company certain funds, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Scales, H. B. 522, S. B. 542, bill to amend chapter 169, Private Laws of 1903, relative to Sylvan Graded Schools in Alamance County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Boddie, H. B. 320, S. B. 497, bill to amend chapter 63, Public Laws of 1901, establishing graded schools in the town of Rocky Mount. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 616, bill to incorporate the Great Peedee Electric and Power Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 562, bill to incorporate the Southern Real Estate Company, with a favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home:

By Senator Long of Person, S. R. 488, resolution to investigate the affairs and management of the Soldiers' Home in the city of Raleigh and the charges made by one Arthur C. Smith against Messrs. Brooks and Stronach.

The committee reports that after careful consideration of the resolution and memorial of the inmates they are fully satisfied that there is no necessity for the investigation, and

take pleasure in exonerating the managers from every charge, and recommend that this resolution do not pass.

The resolution is tabled.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 556, bill to incorporate the Asheville and Northern Railway Company. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 478, S. B. 469, bill to incorporate the Tuckaseegee Railway Company, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 596, bill to re-establish the office of Treasurer of Richmond County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 520, S. B. 516, bill to amend charter of the town of Rocky Mount as to levying and collecting street and privilege taxes, method of condemning and acquiring land for public purposes, etc., with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 767, S. B. 572, bill to amend chapter 26, Private Laws of 1891, the charter of the town of Wadesboro, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Elections:

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 617, bill to regulate elections in Buncombe County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

## PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Empie, by request, petition from Mrs. Lena Justice relating to the divorce law. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Scales, memorial from the besieged on the west side of the French Broad. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Eller, S. B. 635, bill in relation to contracts between attorneys at law and their clients. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 636, bill to incorporate the Greensboro Female College. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Moore, S. B. 637, bill to amend chapter 498, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the anti-jug law of Pender County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Alexander, S. B. 638, bill to regulate the election of superintendent and board of education for Rutherford County. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 639, bill to require the Sheriff of Ashe County to be in his office at certain times. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Turner, S. B. 640, bill to appropriate funds for the North Carolina School for the Deaf and Dumb. Referred to Committee on Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylums.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 641, bill to provide a dormitory for the A. and M. College at Greensboro and for other purposes. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 554, bill to incorporate the Bank of Leaksville. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received and read from his Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn, transmitting certain documents and making recommendations relative to the South Dakota bond matter.

Senator Zollicoffer introduces the following resolution:

S. R. 655, joint resolution relative to the South Dakota judgment.

The resolution is read the first time, and the message and resolution are referred to the Judiciary Committee.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

is resumed.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 656, bill relating to the bird law in Forsyth County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 657, bill for the better support of the public schools of New Hanover County. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 658, bill to consolidate and revise the charter of the city of Winston. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 677, S. B. 642, bill to consolidate certain stock law districts in McDowell County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 673, S. B. 463, bill to authorize the town of Kings Mountain to issue bonds for street improvement. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 674, S. B. 644, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Kings Mountain to issue bonds for electric lights. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 662, S. B. 645, bill to ratify all the acts and proceedings relative to the authorization and issuance of bonds of the town of Lexington to the amount of $60,000 under the provisions of chapter 304, Private Laws of 1903, and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the town of Lexington to levy and collect a special tax, etc. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 806, S. B. 647, bill to amend the charter of the Howland Improvement Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 599, S. B. 646, bill to amend the charter of the Alpine Cotton Mills Company and to validate, ratify and confirm all acts, deeds and contracts entered into by and with said corporation in the name of Alpine Cotton Mills. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 765, S. B. 648, bill to amend the charter of the town of Waynesville and to amend chapter 155, Private Laws of 1903, relating to the charter of said town. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 582, S. B. 649, bill to amend chapter 324, Public Laws of 1903, to establish graded schools in the town of Weldon. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 700, S. B. 651, bill to amend section 21, chapter 275, Public Laws of 1903, relating to banks. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

H. B. 666, S. B. 650, bill to work the public roads of Montgomery County by township tax and convicts. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 231, S. B. 652, bill to compel the attendance of Indians at school. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 441, S. B. 653, bill to amend section 1736 of The Code, to provide a lien on timber stumpage, etc., in certain cases. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 781, S. B. 480, an act to amend the charter of Hendersonville in regard to the collection of taxes.

H. B. 461, S. B. 212, an act to elect the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County and the justices of the peace of said county by the qualified electors thereof.

H. B. 640, S. B. 533, an act to amend chapter 153 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to hunting on the lands of another in Robeson County.

H. B. 223, S. B. 325, an act to authorize the County Board of Education of Wake County to make an appropriation out of the county school fund to aid the Wake County Woman's Association for the Betterment of Public Schools.

H. B. 695, S. B. 500, an act for the better protection of the owners of swine in Tyrrell County.

H. B. 165, S. B. 173, an act for the relief of Piedmont Land and Manufacturing Company.

H. B. 329, S. B. 346, an act to allow A. H. Boyd to execute certain tax deeds for lands in Caldwell County.

H. B. 585, S. B. 582, an act to regulate the time of holding courts in Jackson County and to declare which shall be for the trial of criminal and which for the trial of civil causes.

H. B. 619, S. B. 364, an act to incorporate Rouse Banking Company.

H. B. 486, S. B. 423, an act to provide for the payment of Miss Fannie Wright a school-teacher of Scotland County.

H. B. 722, S. B. 441, an act to amend the charter of the American Warehouse Company.

H. B. 607, S. B. 544, an act to incorporate Haywood Institute.

H. B. 196, S. B. 323, an act for the relief of Miss Annie Clegg of Chatham County.

H. B. 71, S. B. 211, an act to prevent the killing of squirrels in Wake, Dare and Franklin Counties.

H. B. 199, S. B. 349, an act to amend the charter of the Southern Conservatory of Music, chapter 8, Private Laws of 1893.

H. B. 443, S. B. 537, an act to prevent hunting and fishing upon the lands of another without written permission of the land-owners of Goose Nest, Poplar Point and Hamilton Townships, Martin County.

H. B. 106, S. B. 324, an act to authorize the Board of Education of Yancey County to refund to N. W. Horton, ex-treasurer of said county, forty dollars out of the general school fund of said county for money overpaid in excess of the school fund in 1899.

H. B. 649, S. B. 574, an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the road law of the township of Hawtree in Warren County.

H. B. 601, S. B. 538, an act for the relief of F. L. Castellow.

H. B. 488, S. B. 350, an act to amend chapter 48 of the Private Laws of 1901, by changing the name of the Hertford County Telephone Company to the North State Telephone Company, and conferring certain powers.

H. B. 256, S. B. 319, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Caswell County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purposes of making and improving, etc., the public roads of said county.

RESOLUTIONS.

H. R. 697, S. R. 467, resolution to pay expenses of visiting committees to educational institutions.

H. R. 755, S. R. 510, resolution requesting the Senators and Representatives in Congress from North Carolina to use their united influences to secure proper appropriation for carrying out the scheme to improve the Cape Fear River, as recommended by General McKenzie, Chief Engineer of the Army.

H. R. 628, S. R. 465, resolution directing the State Treasurer to pay the expenses of House Committee appointed to visit and investigate the State Penitentiary Farms on the Roanoke River.

H. R. 779, S. R. 547, resolution for printing the message of his Excellency, Governor R. B. Glenn.

H. R. 656, S. R. 334, *Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring,* To pay expenses of inauguration.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 202, bill to extend and define the boundaries of the graded school district of Greenville Graded Schools and to amend chapter 106, Private Laws of 1903, establishing said schools, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 398, S. B. 317, bill to amend chapter 101, Laws of 1891, changing the corporate limits of the town of Boardman in Columbus County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 358, S. B. 318, bill to incorporate the Bryson City Graded Schools, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 393, bill to establish graded schools at Youngsville, Franklin County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 388, S. B. 411, bill to amend chapter 455, Public Laws of 1903, so as to increase the number of trustees of the Morganton Graded Schools, to provide for the election of their successors and to provide for a bond issue, etc., upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 427, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Louisburg, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 503, S. B. 515, bill to authorize and empower the town of Graham to issue bonds for establishing and maintaining a graded school, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Som-

ers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in amendment by the Senate.

S. B. 524, bill to incorporate the Peedee Valley Railroad Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 526, bill to incorporate the town of Lewarae, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 336, S. B. 545, bill to incorporate the town of Hazlewood in Haywood County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Som-

ers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in amendment by the Senate.

S. B. 561, bill to revise the charter of the town of Gibsonville, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 617, S. B. 571, bill to amend the charter of the town of Wingate in Union County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 638, S. B. 577, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Jackson County to construct and establish water-works in the town of Webster in Jackson County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, McCul-

loch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 345, bill to amend chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, regulating the manufacture and sale of liquor in North Carolina, upon third reading.

Senator Stubbs moves to amend:

*Provided,* this act shall not apply to incorporated towns in which liquors are now manufactured in accordance with the provisions of the Watts Law.

The amendment is lost.

Senator Zollicoffer moves to amend:

Amend by adding: *Provided,* that nothing in this act shall be construed to repeal, alter or amend any of the provisions of chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, known as the Watts Law, relative to the manufacture or sale of cider, wine or brandy, and the same shall remain in full force.

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Eller moves to amend:

Amend so as to make the time when said act shall go into effect July 1, 1906.

The amendment is lost.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 478, S. B. 469, bill to incorporate the Tuckaseegee Railway Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller,

Empie, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—33.

H. B. 522, S. B. 542, bill to amend chapter 169, Private Laws of 1903, relative to Sylvan Graded School in Alamance County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—33.

S. B. 556, bill to incorporate the Asheville and Northern Railway Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—33.

H. B. 520, S. B. 516, bill to amend the charter of the town of Rocky Mount as to levying and collecting street and privilege taxes, method of acquiring and condemning land for street and other public purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Ricks, Scales, Somers, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—33.

The following invitation is received and read:

*Governor and Mrs. R. B. Glenn cordially invite*

*You and the Officers of Your Body*

*to*

*A Reeeption to be given at the Mansion*

*in honor of the General Assembly,*

*on*

*Wednesday, February 15th,*

*Eight P. M. to Eleven P. M.,*

*to meet the State Officials and Members*

*of the Governor's Staff.*

*No cards will be issued, but a hearty welcome*

*will be given all.*

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

S. B. 602, bill to repeal section 1, chapter 365, Private Laws of 1903, relative to the corporate limits of the town of Waynesville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 394, S. B. 371, bill to repeal chapter 356, Private Laws of 1903, incorporating the town of Myrtle in Brunswick County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 7, S. B. 416, bill to amend chapter 329, Laws of 1903, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Gilliam, the bill is made a special order for next Wednesday, February 15th, at 12 o'clock.

H. B. 518, S. B. 417, bill to change the time for holding election in School District No. 1 in the town of Chadbourn in Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 383, S. B. 418, bill for the relief of M. E. Willie, a school-teacher in Hyde County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 384, S. B. 450, bill to regulate the pay of veniremen and jurors in Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 466, bill amendatory of the charter of Guilford College, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 505, S. B. 498, bill to amend chapter 647, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the attendance of children in the public schools of Macon County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 504, bill to prohibit dealing in futures in Gaston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 517, bill to repeal chapter 814, Laws of 1903, relating to the stock law in certain territory in Mitchell County, upon second reading.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 669, S. B. 573, bill to supplement House Bill No. 59, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 769, S. B. 576, bill relating to the fees of the Surveyor of Wayne County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 593, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County to fix the compensation of its chairman, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 297, S. B. 552, bill to protect landlords and tenants, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the bill is made a special order for next Wednesday at 12 o'clock.

H. B. 831, S. B. 620, bill to regulate the hunting of pheasants in Randolph County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 732, S. B. 539, bill to protect woodcock in Jones and Craven Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 767, S. B. 572, bill to amend chapter 26, Private Laws of 1891, charter of the town of Wadesboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 596, bill to re-establish the office of Treasurer of Richmond County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 616, bill to incorporate the Great Peedee Electric and Power Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 617, bill to regulate elections in Buncombe County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. R. 766, S. R. 633, resolution directing the treasurer to refund to the Nantahala Company certain funds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the bill is referred to the Judiciary Committee.

S. B. 562, bill to incorporate the Southern Real Estate Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 320, S. B. 497, bill to amend chapter 53, Public Laws of 1901, to establish graded schools in the town of Rocky Mount, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 526, S. B. 223, bill to amend chapter 150, Public Laws of 1903, to protect water supplies, providing that said act shall apply to water companies which may hereafter be organized, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The Senate refuses to concur in the amendment.

The President appoints as committee of conference on the part of the Senate to consider this bill, Senators Webb, Foushee and Bryan.

Upon motion of Senator Thorne, the Senate adjourns until 10:30 o'clock Monday.

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## THIRTY-FIFTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 13, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. J. C. Massee of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Turner, leave of absence is granted Senators Watkins and Fleming.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Salaries and Fees:

By Senator Mason of Northampton, resolution to pay stenographers in office of Engrossing Clerk $4 per day, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 618, bill to amend chapter 715, Public Laws of 1901, to allow justices of the peace half fees in certain cases, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Mason of Northampton, S. B. 632, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to refund the debt incurred by Rutherford County in subscribing to the $100,000 of the capital stock of the Rutherford Railway Con-

struction Company, and to provide for the payment of the same, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 631, bill to incorporate the Edgecombe Railway Company. The Committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Zollicoffer, H. B. 208, S. B. 236, bill to increase the pay of jurors in the courts of justices of the peace by amending sections 869 and 870 of The Code, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Vann, H. B. 741, S. B. 583, bill to amend the charter of the city of Asheville, to establish an electric light and reservoir commission for said city and to authorize said commission to issue bonds, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Bryan, H. B. 701, S. B. 624, bill to amend chapter 719, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the use of tires on wagons in certain counties, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 395, S. B. 420, bill for the better protection of public travel in Tyrrell County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 450, S. B. 470, bill to work the public roads of Rutherford County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Miller, H. B. 605, S. B. 546, bill to provide for the better working of public roads in Chatham County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 382, S. B. 415, bill for the better protection of travel in Tyrrell County and for the protection of St. Andrew's Church in said county, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 592, bill to amend chapter 187, Laws of 1903, relative to the public roads in Madison County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 493, bill to incorporate the Watauga Turnpike Company. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

S. B. 611, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Vance County to issue bonds for road purposes. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

Upon motion of Senator Zollicoffer, the bill is re-referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 599, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Gaston County to issue bonds in the sum of $300,000 to build public roads, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 648, S. B. 548, bill to amend chapter 286, section 4, Public Laws of 1899, in regard to the working of the public roads of Alleghany County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 507, S. B. 490, bill relating to the killing of deer in Cedar Creek and Beaverdam Townships in Cumberland County and in the county of Bladen, with favorable recommendation.

## ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Boddie, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill is correctly engrossed and it is ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 345, bill to amend chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, regulating the manufacture and sale of liquors in North Carolina.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Watkins, by request, memorial of M. F. Overman of Liberty, N. C., relating to killing hogs near the public roads, and making the marriage of a girl under the age of eighteen larceny on the part of the bridegroom. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Sinclair, petition from citizens of Cumberland County, asking for the establishment of a Bureau of Immigration. Referred to Committee on Immigration.

By Senator Mason of Northampton, petition from citizens of Northampton County asking the repeal of chapter 538, Laws of 1903, establishing a road law for Northampton County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Ward, S. B. 673, bill to amend section 2, chapter 164, Laws of 1899, giving the Corporation Commission power to inspect the condition of railroads. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 674, bill to provide for the working of the public roads of Surry County, and issuing bonds for the same. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 676, bill to incorporate the town of Alexander in Buncombe County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 677, bill to establish a graded school at Robersonville. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 678, bill to validate certain amendments to the certificate or articles of incorporation of

certain corporations. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Grady, S. B. 679, bill to create a special tax school district in the counties of Sampson and Duplin. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Alexander, S. B. 680, bill to allow Robert James to peddle without license. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 681, bill to ratify, confirm and amend the charter of the Asheville Auditorium Company. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

Upon motion of Senator McLean, H. B. 7, S. B. 416, bill to amend chapter 339, Laws of 1903, relating to cotton-seed meal, is re-referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 676, bill to amend the general election law. Referred to Committee on Elections.

## ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 161, S. B. 377, an act to incorporate the Dover Southbound Railroad Company.

H. B. 716, S. B. 437, an act to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at Cooleemee, Rowan County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there, and to appoint J. M. C. Penninger a justice of the peace.

H. B. 758, S. B. 456, an act to amend chapter 101, Private Laws of 1887, amendatory of the charter of the town of Rockingham.

H. B. 772, S. B. 440, an act to drain Clear Creek in Henderson County.

H. B. 518, S. B. 417, an act to change the time for holding election in School District Number One in the town of Chadbourn in Columbus County.

H. B. 383, S. B. 418, an act for the relief of M. E. Willie.

H. B. 717, S. B. 387, an act to amend sections 1933 and 3004 of The Code, relative to tax and fees on incorporation of railroad companies.

H. B. 372, S. B. 110, an act to prevent hunting on the lands of another in Rutherford Township in Rutherford County without permission.

H. B. 574, S. B. 225, an act to amend the charter of the Chowan and Aulander Railroad Company.

H. B. 720, S. B. 425, an act to amend the law relative to the drainage of Mud Creek in Henderson County.

H. B. 523, S. B. 375, an act to charter Aaron Seminary at Montezuma, Mitchell County, North Carolina.

H. B. 529, S. B. 285, an act to amend chapter 488, Public Laws 1903, entitled "An act for the better regulation of the business of fire insurance and to increase the public revenue."

H. B. 384, S. B. 450, an act to regulate the pay of veniremen and jurors in Forsyth County.

H. B. 394, S. B. 371, an act to repeal chapter 356, Private Laws of 1903, incorporating the town of Myrtle in Brunswick County.

H. B. 814, S. B. 507, an act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend the charter of the town of Concord, ratified the twenty-second day of January, 1901," being chapter nine of the Private Laws of North Carolina.

H. B. 754, S. B. 272, an act to enable the Commissioners of Cumberland County to refund their bonds "known as the jail bonds."

H. B. 624, S. B. 298, an act to incorporate the Yadkin and Transmontain Railway Company.

H. B. 756, S. B. 457, an act to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Rockingham, Richmond County, North Carolina, to issue bonds to construct water-works.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. R. 935, S. R. 659, joint resolution as to Governor's message in regard to the State bonds held by Schaffer Brothers. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 704, S. B. 660, bill to amend chapter 388, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the road law of Rockingham County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 632, S. B. 661, bill to authorize the issuing of bonds and levying taxes in aid of the graded school at Mount Airy. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 242, S. B. 662, bill to provide for the erection of a bridge across the Catawba River between Burke and Caldwell Counties. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 511, S. B. 663, bill authorizing the Commissioners of Tyrrell County to levy a special tax. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 883, S. B. 664, bill to repeal chapter 784, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the appointment of tax collector, treasurer and other county officers in Henderson County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 225, S. B. 665, bill to amend the law relative to seduction under promise of marriage. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 851, S. B. 666, bill to appoint cotton-weighers for the city of Raleigh. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 835, S. B. 667, bill to amend chapter 150, Public Laws of 1883, by striking out the county of Orange. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 931, S. B. 668, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Currituck County to use surplus of special taxes for general county purposes, and to withdraw authority to levy further special taxes. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. R. 904, S. R. 669, resolution to pay expenses of committee visiting insane asylums at Morganton and Goldsboro. The resolution is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 803, S. B. 670, bill to amend the charter of the Asheville and Craggy Mountain Railway Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 794, S. B. 671, bill to regulate the working of public roads in Craven County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 844, S. B. 672, bill to regulate the pay of county surveyors. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 648, S. B. 548, bill to amend chapter 286, section 4, Public Laws of 1899, in regard to working the roads of Alleghany County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 507, S. B. 490, bill relating to the killing of deer in Cedar Creek and Beaverdam Townships, Cumberland County, and in the county of Bladen, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 382, S. B. 415, bill for the better protection of public travel in Tyrrell County, and for the protection of Saint Andrew's Church in said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 395, S. B. 420, bill for the better protection of public travel in Tyrrell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 701, S. B. 624, bill to amend chapter 719, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the use of tires on wagons in certain counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 618, bill to amend chapter 715, Public Laws of 1901, to allow justices of the peace half fees in certain cases, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. R. 904, S. R. 669, joint resolution to pay expenses of committee visiting the insane asylums at Morganton and Goldsboro, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Resolution to pay stenographer in office of Engrossing Clerk $4 per day.

The resolution is adopted.

H. B. 478, S. B. 469, bill to incorporate the Tuckaseigee Railway Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales,

Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer--32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 556, bill to incorporate the Asheville and Northern Railway Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill passes third reading, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 520, S. B. 516, bill to amend charter of the town of Rocky Mount as to levying and collecting street and privilege taxes, method of condemning and acquiring land for streets and other public purposes, etc., upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 522, S. B. 542, bill to amend chapter 169, Private Laws of 1903, relative to Sylvan Graded Schools in Alamance County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller,

Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 741, S. B. 583, bill to amend the charter of the city of Asheville, to establish an electric light and reservoir commission for said city and to authorize said commission to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

S. B. 599, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Gaston County to issue bonds in the sum of $300,000 to build public roads, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

S. B. 594, bill to amend chapter 187, Laws of 1903, relative to public roads in Madison County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller,

Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

H. B. 605, S. B. 546, bill to provide for the better working of the public roads of Chatham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

H. B. 450, S. B. 470, bill to work the public roads of Rutherford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

S. B. 632, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to refund the debt incurred by Rutherford County in subscribing to the $100,000 of the capital stock of the Rutherford Railway Construction Company and to provide for the payment of the same, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Mason of Gaston, Mason of North-

ampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

S. B. 631, bill to incorporate the Edgecombe Railway Company, upon second reading.

The amendments reported by the committee are adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

S. B. 493, bill to incorporate the Watauga Turnpike Company, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Beasley, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

Upon motion of Senator Grady, the Senate adjourns until 10:30 o'clock to-morrow.

## THIRTY-SIXTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 14, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. F. A. Bishop of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, leave of absence is granted Senator Beasley.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Jones, S. B. 656, bill relating to the bird law in Forsyth County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 600, bill to prevent the throwing, placing, running or dumping sawdust in the the streams of Guilford County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, H. B. 32, S. B. 307, bill to repeal chapter 349, Public Laws of 1903. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with the amendment.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the bill is referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 462, S. B. 578, bill to prevent hunting on the lands of another without written permission of the owner in Currituck and Halifax Counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 672, S. B. 567, bill to amend chapter 173, Acts of 1895, in regard to lumber inspectors in Pamlico County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Long, of Iredell, H. B. 173, S. B. 464, bill to incorporate Grassy Creek Methodist Church in Ashe County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 230, S. B. 238, bill to prevent killing of quail and partridges in Swain County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, H. B. 472, S. B. 462, bill to amend act regulating the sale of seed cotton, amending chapter 199, Public Laws of 1887, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 603, bill to amend chapter 109, Public Laws of 1903, relating to dispensaries in Johnston County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 423, S. B. 575, bill to prevent the obstruction of Brushy Creek in Cleveland County, and to prevent placing of sawdust therein, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 501, S. B. 549, bill concerning Tucker's Grove Camp Ground Encampment in Lincoln County. The committee recommends that the bill be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted, and the bill is referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 851, S. B. 666, bill to appoint cotton-weighers for the city of Raleigh, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 883, S. B. 664, bill to repeal chapter 784, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the appointment of tax collector, treasurer and other county officers in Henderson County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

Senators Bryan and McLean submit a minority report, recommending that the bill do pass.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 801, S. B. 585, bill to prevent persons operating saw-mills in Graham County from putting or permitting sawdust to get into the streams of said county, with a favorable recommendation.

H. B. 509, S. B. 579, bill to amend chapter 63, Public Laws of 1901, relative to hunting upon the lands of another

in Craven and Jones Counties, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Banks and Currency:

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 610, bill to incorporate the Pinetops Banking Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 481, bill to amend chapter 270, Private Laws of 1901, to incorporate the Citizens Savings Bank of Kinston, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 654, bill to amend the charter of the Bank of Leaksville, of Leaksville, Rockingham County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Insurance:

By Senator Eller, S. B. 407, bill to amend chapter 54, Public Laws of 1899, to regulate fire insurance and other companies, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 341, bill to amend chapter 710, Public Laws of 1901, to regulate insurance of public buildings and other State property, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Finance:

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 555, bill to relieve William H. Worth, late Treasurer, of the loss sustained by failure of the First National Bank of Asheville, the Western Carolina Bank of Asheville, and the Bank of Guilford of Greensboro, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Insurance:

By Senator Empie, S. B. 153, bill to provide fire-escapes and protect human life, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Penal Institutions:

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 178, bill creating a board of control of the North Carolina Industrial School, providing for the establishment and management of said school, specifying a method of procedure against juvenile delinquents, etc., with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is made a special order for next Thursday, February 16th, at 12 o'clock.

From the Committee on Fish and Fisheries:

By Senator Turner, H. B. 606, S. B. 503, bill to better regulate fishing in Currituck Sound. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 806, S. B. 647, bill to amend charter of the Howland Improvement Company. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Long of Iredell, H. B. 803, S. B. 670, bill to amend charter of the Asheville and Craggy Mountain Railroad Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 523, bill to incorporate the Southport and Northwestern Railway Company. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 619, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, H. B. 835, S. B. 667, bill to amend chapter 150, Public Laws of 1883, by striking out the county of Orange, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McLean, H. B. 765, S. B. 648, bill to amend charter of the town of Waynesville, and to amend chapter 155, Private Laws of 1903, relating to the charter of said town, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, H. B. 800, S. B. 628, bill to re-arrange and index the Superior Court records and files of Montgomery County by direction of the board of county commissioners, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 931, S. B. 668, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Currituck County to use surplus special taxes for general county purposes and to withdraw authority to levy further special taxes, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 676, bill to incorporate the town of Alexander in Buncombe County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Williams, H. B. 678, S. B. 621, bill to protect wild turkeys in the county of Davie, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 637, bill to amend chapter 498, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the anti-jug law of Pender County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 675, S. B. 569, bill to amend chapter 79, Public Laws of 1899, so as to consolidate wreck districts in Hyde County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 661, S. B. 580, bill to prevent obstruction of Swearing Creek, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

Upon request, Senator Toms is permitted to withdraw S. B. 482, bill to incorporate the Appalachian Interurban Railway Company.

Upon request, Senator Moore is permitted to withdraw S. B. 331, bill to amend chapter 498, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the anti-jug law of Pender County.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that Messrs. Graham of Granville, Laughinghouse, Alexander, Warren and Meekins have been appointed as a conference committee on the part of the House to meet with the committee on the part of the Senate to adjust all matters of difference on H. B. 526, S. B. 243, bill to amend chapter 159, Laws of 1901, an act to protect

water supplies, providing that said act shall apply to water companies which may hereafter organize.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 186, bill to establish a Department of Immigration and to provide for the appointment and compensation of a commissioner, upon second reading.

The substitute recommended by the committee is adopted.

Senator Eller moves to amend:

Amend by adding to the end of section 7 the following: "*Provided,* the ignorant and lawless class of foreign countries are undesirable and the commissioner is expressly forbidden to encourage them to come to this State."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Duls moves to amend:

Amend by inserting the words "commerce and" between the words "of" and "immigration" in line one of section one.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Sinclair, memorial of Cape Fear Council No. 15, Junior Order United American Mechanics, against the establishment of an immigration bureau. Referred to the Committee on Immigration.

By Senator Sinclair, memorial of Hope Mills Council No. 11, Junior Order United American Mechanics, against the establishment of a bureau of immigration.

By Senator Toms, petition from the citizens of Henderson County to drain the low lands of the French Broad River. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 698, bill to amend the charter of the A. and N. C. R. R. Co. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 699, bill to drain the low lands of French Broad River and its tributaries in Henderson County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 700, bill to divide the net proceeds of the dispensaries of Johnston County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 701, bill to amend section 5, chapter 23, Public Laws of 1899, and to validate certain instruments acknowledged before vice-consuls. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 702, bill to amend section 1488 of The Code of 1883, to provide for payment of funeral expenses. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Moore, S. B. 703, bill to incorporate Rocky Point in Pender County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 704, bill to establish graded schools in Beaufort, Carteret County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 705, bill to provide for the examination of the books of the Insurance Commissioner and fix his bond. Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 706, bill to allow the Commissioners of Person County to expend the surplus railroad tax upon the public roads. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 707, bill to pay T. H. Tatum a reward of two hundred dollars justly due him for capturing one Bud Mebane. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 708, bill to incorporate the town of Godwin in Cumberland County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 709, bill to provide for buildings for the State Normal Schools for the negro race and for other purposes. Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Williams, S. B. 710, bill to repeal section 3, chapter 375, Public Laws of 1899, as to Lexington Township in Davidson County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Turner, S. B. 711, bill to prevent the retail traffic of cigarettes or cigarette paper in North Carolina. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 716, bill to incorporate Appalachian Interurban Railroad Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

## ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 398, S. B. 317, an act to amend chapter 101, Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1891, entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Hub in the county of Columbus and State of North Carolina."

H. B. 831, S. B. 620, an act to regulate the hunting of pheasants in Randolph County.

H. B. 388, S. B. 411, an act to amend chapter 455, Public Laws of 1903, so as to increase the number of trustees of the Morganton Graded School and to provide for the election of their successors by the people and to provide for an issue of bonds to purchase a site and build and equip a graded school building in said district.

H. B. 669, S. B. 573, an act to supplement House Bill No. 59.

H. B. 817, S. B. 484, an act to authorize the city of Durham to issue school bonds.

H. B. 358, S. B. 318, an act to incorporate the Bryson City Graded School District and to validate the special school tax election heretofore held in said district.

H. B. 520, S. B. 516, an act to amend the charter of the town of Rocky Mount.

H. B. 507, S. B. 490, an act relating to the killing of bear in Cedar Creek and Beaverdam Townships, Cumberland County, and the county of Bladen.

H. B. 638, S. B. 577, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the county of Jackson to construct and establish water-works in the town of Webster in Jackson County.

H. B. 522, S. B. 542, an act to amend sections 2 and 4 of chapter 169 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, 1903, relative to Sylvan Graded School in Alamance County, North Carolina.

H. B. 382, S. B. 415, an act for the better protection of public travel in Tyrrell County, and for the protection of Saint Andrew's Episcopal Church in Tyrrell County.

H. B. 701, S. B. 624, an act to amend chapter 719, Public Laws 1899, relating to the use of wide tires on wagons in certain counties.

H. B. 811, S. B. 489, an act to authorize and direct the Board of Aldermen of the town of Waynesville to submit to the qualified voters of said town the adoption and ratification of a contract between the board of aldermen and B. J. Sloan for supplying electric power for lighting.

H. B. 730, S. B. 429, an act to amend the charter of Durham and Southern Railway Company, dated January sixth, one thousand nine hundred and four, and issued by the Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina on January thirteenth, 1904, and recorded in his office.

H. B. 395, S. B. 420, an act for the better protection of public travel in Tyrrell County.

H. B. 820, S. B. 511, an act to protect sheriffs who have prosecuted or may hereafter prosecute persons for failure to pay certain taxes imposed by the General Assembly which may have been or may hereafter be declared unconstitutional.

H. B. 648, S. B. 548, an act to amend chapter 286 of the Public Laws of 1899, in regard to the working and improving of the public roads in Watauga, Ashe and Alleghany Counties.

H. B. 769, S. B. 576, an act relating to fees of County Surveyor of Wayne County.

H. B. 617, S. B. 571, an act to amend the charter of the town of Wingate, Union County, North Carolina.

H. B. 732, S. B. 539, an act to protect woodcock in Jones and Craven Counties.

H. B. 767, S. B. 572, an act to amend chapter 26, Private Laws of 1891, the charter of the town of Wadesboro.

H. B. 505, S. B. 498, an act to amend chapter 647 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the attendance of children in the public schools of Macon County.

H. R. 904, S. R. 669, resolution to pay expenses of committee visiting insane asylums at Morganton and Goldsboro.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 656, bill relating to the bird law in Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 600, bill to prevent the throwing, placing, running, or dumping sawdust in the streams of Guilford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 32, S. B. 307, bill to repeal chapter 349, Public Laws of 1903, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the bill is referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 672, S. B. 567, bill to amend chapter 173, Acts of 1895, in regard to lumber inspectors in Pamlico County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 173, S. B. 464, bill to incorporate Grassy Creek Methodist Church in Ashe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 230, S. B. 238, bill to prevent killing quail and partridges in Swain County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 472, S. B. 462, bill to amend act regulating the sale of seed cotton, amending chapter 199, Public Laws of 1887, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 603, bill to amend chapter 109, Public Laws of 1903, relating to dispensaries in Johnston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 423, S. B. 575, bill to prohibit the obstruction of Brushy Creek in Cleveland County, and to prevent the placing of sawdust therein, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 851, S. B. 666, bill to appoint cotton-weighers for the city of Raleigh, upon second reading.

On account of the absence of Senator Ellington the further consideration of the bill is postponed.

H. B. 883, S. B. 664, bill to repeal chapter 784, Public Laws of 1903, relative to appointment of tax collector, treasurer and other county officers in Henderson County, upon second reading.

Senator Toms moves to table the bill.

The motion is lost.

Senator Bryan calls for the ayes and noes.

The call is sustained.

The bill fails to pass second reading, ayes 8, noes 26, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Bryan, Crisp, Empie, McLean, Miller, Moore, Somers, Stubbs—8.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Odell, Scales, Sinclair, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Zollicoffer—26.

H. B. 801, S. B. 585, bill to prevent persons operating saw-mills in Graham County from putting or permitting

sawdust from their mills to get in the streams of said county, upon second reading.

Senator Turner moves to amend:

Amend title and bill by adding Catawba and Lincoln Counties, and where it reads Graham County make it read Graham, Catawba and Lincoln Counties.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 509, S. B. 579, bill to amend chapter 63, Public Laws of 1901, relative to hunting upon the lands of another in Craven and Jones Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 610, bill to incorporate the Pinetops Banking Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 341, bill to amend section 710, Public Laws of 1901, to regulate insurance of public buildings and other State property, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 555, bill to relieve William H. Worth, late Treasurer, of the loss sustained by the failure of the First National Bank of Asheville, the Western Carolina Bank of Asheville and the Bank of Guilford of Greensboro, upon second reading.

On account of the absence of Senator Ellington the further consideration of the bill is postponed.

H. B. 806, S. B. 647, bill to amend charter of the Howland Improvement Company, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 803, S. B. 670, bill to amend charter of the Asheville and Craggy Mountain Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 835, S. B. 667, bill to amend chapter 150, Public Laws of 1883, by striking out the county of Orange, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 765, S. B. 648, bill to amend charter of the town of Waynesville and to amend chapter 155, Private Laws of 1903, relating to the charter of said town, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 800, S. B. 628, bill to re-arrange and index the Superior Court records of Montgomery County by direction of the board of county commissioners, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 481, bill to amend chapter 270, Private Laws of 1901, to incorporate the Citizens Savings Bank of Kinston, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 956, S. B. 712, bill to prevent giving away intoxicating liquors on day of election with intent to influence voters or to sell intoxicating liquors on election day within five miles of voting precincts, upon concurrence in amendment by House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the bill is referred to the Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

H. B. 678, S. B. 621, bill to protect wild turkeys in the county of Davie, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 675, S. B. 569, bill to amend chapter 79, Public Laws of 1899, so as to consolidate wreck districts in Hyde County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 676, bill to incorporate the town of Alexander in Buncombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Zollicoffer—33.

S. B. 619, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, McLean, Moore, Odell, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Zollicoffer—33.

S. B. 599, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Gaston County to issue bonds in the sum of $300,000 to build public roads, upon its third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, McLean, Moore, Odell, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Zollicoffer—33.

Bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 450, H. B. 470, bill to work the public roads of Rutherford County, upon its third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Zollicoffer—33.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 546, H. B. 605, bill to provide for better working of the public roads of Chatham County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne,

Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Zollicoffer—33.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 594, bill to amend chapter 187, Laws of 1903, relative to public roads in Madison County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Zollicoffer—33.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 741, S. B. 583, bill to amend the charter of the city of Asheville, to establish an Electric Light and Reservoir Commission for the said city and to authorize said commission to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, McLean, Moore, Odell, Scales, Somers, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Zollicoffer—33.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 631, bill to incorporate the "Edgecombe Railway Company," upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston,

Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Somers, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Zollicoffer—33.

It is ordered that the amendment be engrossed and the bill sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 632, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to refund the debt incurred by Rutherford County in subscribing to the $100,000 of the capital stock of the Rutherford Railway Construction Company, and to provide for the payment of the same, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, McLean, Odell, Scales, Somers, Sinclair, Stubbs, Toms, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 523, bill to incorporate the Southport and Northwestern Railway Company, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Zollicoffer—33.

S. B. 493, bill to incorporate the Watauga Turnpike Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 692, H. B. 840, bill to incorporate the Western Union Academy. Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 693, H. B. 776, bill to protect landlords and tenants in certain counties. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 694, H. B. 797, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Anson County to levy a special tax. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 695, H. B. 848, bill to incorporate Stony Point Church in Salem Township in Forsyth County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 696, H. B. 745, bill to prevent the sale of meats of diseased animals. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 697, H. B. 878, bill to repeal chapter 306 of the Laws of 1903, relating to Person County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 712, H. B. 956, bill to prevent the giving away intoxicating liquors on day of elections with intent to influence the election, or to sell intoxicating liquors on election day within five miles of the voting precinct. Ordered placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 713, H. B. 870, bill to allow the Board of Commissioners of Hyde County to levy a special tax. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 714, H. B. 859, bill to incorporate the town of Walnut in Madison County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 715, H. B. 828, bill to make the territory within the town of Lincolnton a graded school district. Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 683, H. B. 618, bill to amend the charter of the town of Mount Airy. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 684, H. B. 642, bill to provide for levying a special tax to build an iron bridge across the French Broad River at or near Barnard, Madison County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 685, H. B. 667, bill to provide for the working of the public roads of Macon County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 632, H. B. 841, bill to authorize the Aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 686, H. B. 853, bill to amend chapter 174 of the Public Laws of 1891 and chapter 219 of the Public Laws of 1885, concerning the stock law of Buncombe County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 687, H. B. 875, bill to provide sewerage for the city of Monroe. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 688, H. B. 866, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Camden County to levy a special tax. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 689, H. B. 303, bill to amend chapter 17, Public Laws 1899, by striking out "Greene" and inserting "Hertford." Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 690, H. B. 397, bill forbidding the sale of liquor within two miles of any church or school-house in Waccamaw Township in Columbus County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 691, H. B. 602, bill to repeal chapter 172 of the Private Laws of 1901 and chapter 20 of the Private Laws of 1903 and to incorporate the town of Roseman in Tran-

sylvania County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Upon motion of Senator Alexander, the Senate adjourns until 10:30 o'clock to-morrow.

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## THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 15, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Senator Turrentine of Alamance County.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Vann, H. B. 136, S. B. 463, bill to amend the law of evidence relative to written instruments, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 297, bill in regard to sale of household and kitchen furniture by husband and wife, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Williams, S. B. 606, bill to amend section 4 of chapter 157, Public Laws of 1895, it being an act to provide for the election of justices of the peace, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 89, bill to protect keepers of livery-stables, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Gilliam, H. B. 766, S. B. 633, bill directing the treasurer to refund to the Nantahala Company certain funds, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Vann, H. B. 562, S. B. 626, bill to improve the public roads of Valleytown Township in Cherokee County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Vann, H. B. 535, S. B. 472, bill to incorporate the town of Andrews in the county of Cherokee. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Elections and Election Laws:

By Senator Scales, S. B. 675, bill to amend the general election law, with favorable recommendation.

Senator Webb introduces the following resolution:

"*Be it resolved by the Senate*, that the Chairman of the Committee on Justices of the Peace be and he is hereby authorized to appoint a clerk for said committee."

The resolution is referred to the Committee on Rules.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Toms, petition from the ladies of Hendersonville against a dispensary. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Toms, petition from the citizens of Hendersonville against a dispensary. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Williams, petition for 7½ per cent. standard cotton-seed meal. Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports that the following bills and resolutions are properly

enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 509, S. B. 579, an act to amend chapter 65, Public Laws of 1901, relative to hunting upon the lands of another in Craven and Jones Counties.

H. B. 901, S. B. 520, an act to prohibit the sale of liquors and speculation within one mile of certain churches in Martin and Pitt Counties.

H. B. 806, S. B. 647, an act to change the name, increase the capital stock and otherwise amend the charter of the Howland Improvement Company.

H. B. 625, S. B. 337, an act to amend chapter 49 of The Code, entitled "Railroads."

H. B. 657, S. B. 442, an act to change the time for holding the courts of February Term for the counties of Rowan and Davidson in the Tenth Judicial District.

H. B. 899, S. B. 520, an act to amend chapter 268 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the protection of quail in Iredell County.

H. B. 320, S. B. 497, an act to amend chapter 53, Public Laws of 1901, entitled "An act to establish graded schools in the town of Rocky Mount."

H. B. 835, S. B. 667, an act to amend chapter 150 of the Public Laws of 1883, by striking out "Orange County" in line two of section 1.

H. B. 503, S. B. 515, an act to authorize and empower the town of Graham to issue bonds and to amend chapter 97 of the Private Acts of 1903, entitled "An act to establish and maintain a graded school in the town of Graham, Alamance County, North Carolina.

H. B. 423, S. B. 575, an act to prohibit the obstruction of Brushy Creek in Cleveland County, and the placing of sawdust therein.

H. B. 678, S. B. 621, an act to protect wild turkeys in the county of Davie.

H. B. 173, S. B. 464, an act to incorporate Grassy Creek M. E. Church South in Ashe County.

H. B. 765, S. B. 648, an act to amend the charter of the town of Waynesville and to amend chapter 155, Private Laws of 1903, relating to the charter of said town.

H. B. 672, S. B. 567, an act to amend chapter 173 of the Acts of 1895 in regard to lumber inspectors for Pamlico County.

H. B. 450, S. B. 470, an act to work the public roads of Rutherford County.

H. B. 605, S. B. 546, an act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Chatham County.

H. B. 478, S. B. 469, an act to incorporate the Tuckaseigee Railway Company.

H. B. 800, S. B. 628, an act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Montgomery County to have the old records of the Superior Court cross-indexed and classified.

H. B. 675, S. B. 569, an act to amend chapter 79, Public Laws of 1899, so as to consolidate the wreck districts in Hyde County.

H. B. 230, S. B. 238, an act to prevent the killing of quail or partridges in Swain County.

H. B. 472, S. B. 462, an act to amend an act to regulate the sale of seed cotton, of chapter 192, Public Laws 1887.

H. B. 803, S. B. 670, an act to further amend the charter of the Asheville and Craggy Mountain Railway Company.

H. B. 336, S. B. 545, an act to incorporate the town of Hazelwood in Haywood County.

H. B. 741, S. B. 583, an act to amend the charter of the city of Asheville, to establish an electric light and reservoir commission for said city and to authorize said commission to issue bonds.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 717, H. B. 868, bill to prevent live stock from running at large in a certain territory in Columbus County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 718, H. B. 832, bill to establish graded schools and to improve the streets in the city of Randleman. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 719, H. B. 933, bill to authorize the city of Charlotte to issue bonds and provide for the payment of same. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 720, H. B. 887, bill to regulate the pay of jurors in Chowan County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 721, H. B. 961, bill to amend chapter 181, Private Laws 1903, to extend time for North State Trust Company to protect its organization. Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 722, H. B. 962, bill to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the city of Hickory to donate $10,000 to the city graded schools. Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 723, H. B. 1000, bill to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds to pay the floating debt. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 724, H. B. 925, bill to extend the time for rebuilding a mill on Bear Creek, Moore County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. R. 725, H. R. 995, joint resolution requesting the Governor to transmit to the General Assembly such information as he may have in regard to the sale of the State's interest in

the Boone and Blowing Rock Turnpike Company, made under Public Laws 1903, chapter 611.

S. B. 726, H. B. 1021, bill to authorize the Bank of Lumberton to increase the number of its directors. Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 727, H. B. 1022, bill to authorize the Robeson County Loan and Trust Company to increase the number of their Board of Directors. Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 728, H. B. 751, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the town of Hendersonville to establish a dispensary in said town, provided a majority of the voters of said town shall vote for the establishment of such dispensary at an election to be held on the first Monday in April, 1905. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 729, H. B. 918, bill for the protection of birds and other game in Mineral Springs Township, Richmond County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Ward, S. B. 730, bill relative to the compensation and traveling expenses of the pages. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 731, bill to permit the dispensary towns of Johnston County to vote on the question of Prohibition. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 732, bill to erect a suitable monument to the memory of the late Willie P. Mangum. Referred to the Committee on Library.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 733, bill to define and prevent usurious contracts and transactions in the State of North Carolina. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 734, bill to establish a free ferry across the Cape Fear River at Ewell's Landing. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 735, bill to incorporate the Winston, High Point and Wadesboro Interurban Electric Railroad Company. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 736, bill to provide for the participation by the State of North Carolina in celebrating the first permanent settlement of English speaking people at Jamestown, Virginia, and to authorize an appropriation therefor. Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Senator Mason of Northampton, S. B. 737, bill to amend chapter 235, Public Laws of 1899, section 7, so as to allow the acknowledgment of instruments to which the Clerk of the Superior Court is a party to be made before a justice of the peace. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 738, bill to amend the charter of the town of Mount Olive, N. C. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 739, bill to amend chapter 129, Private Laws of 1901, relative to the charter of the town of Williamston. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 740, bill to amend chapter 680, Public Laws of 1903, relating to fire insurance. Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 741, bill authorizing the Clerk to bulletin all special orders of the Senate in the Senate Chamber. Referred to Committee on Rules.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 742, bill to establish Ruffin Graded School District in Rockingham County. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Scales, S. R. 743, resolution supplemental to resolution paying expenses of committee visiting educational institutions.

The resolution passes its several readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 136, S. B. 463, bill to amend the law of evidence relative to written instruments, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 766, S. R. 633, resolution directing the Treasurer to refund to the Nantahala Company certain funds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 675, bill to amend the general election law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 654, bill to amend charter of the Bank of Leaksville, of Leaksville, Rockingham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 731, bill to permit dispensary towns in Johnston County to vote upon the question of prohibition, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 851, S. B. 666, bill to appoint cotton-weighers for the city of Raleigh, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 555, bill to relieve William H. Worth, late Treasurer, of the loss sustained by the failure of the First National Bank of Asheville, the Western Carolina Bank of Asheville and the Bank of Guilford of Greensboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 153, bill to provide fire-escapes and protect human life, upon second reading.

Senator Burton moves to amend:

Amend by adding at the end of section 1 the following words: "*Provided,* this act shall not apply to private residences at which lodgers are not received for hire."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Sinclair moves to amend:

Amend by striking out the word "or" in line one of section one, and inserting after the word "lodging-house" in said line the words "school dormitories, hospitals or sanitariums"; and by striking out the word "or" in line seven of said section one and inserting after the word "lodging-house" in said line seven the words "school dormitory, hospital or sanitarium."

The amendment is adopted.

Upon motion of Senator Duls, the bill is re-referred to the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 65, S. B. 247, bill for the protection of the growers of ginseng, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 257, bill to provide a room or hall in each county for veteran meetings, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is lost.

The bill fails to pass second reading.

S. B. 676, bill to incorporate the town of Alexander in Buncombe County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 619, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boyles, Bryan, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 523, bill to incorporate the Southport and Northwestern Railway Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell,

Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 472, H. B. 535, bill to incorporate the town of Andrews in the county of Cherokee, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, McLean, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams —32.

H. B. 562, S. B. 626, bill to improve the public roads in Valleytown Township in Cherokee County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, McLean, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams—32.

Upon motion of Senator Zollicoffer, H. B. 458, S. B. 543, bill to fix the time for holding the courts of Warren County, is recalled from the Committee on Judicial Districts and placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

By unanimous consent Senator Zollicoffer reports, with favorable recommendation from the Judiciary Committee, H. B. 473, S. B. 502, bill to amend chapter 715, Public

Laws of 1901, relating to the payment of one-half fees to witnesses and officers in Caswell County when "Not a true bill" is found, which is placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

By unanimous consent Senator Empie reports from the Committee on Insurance S. B. 705, bill to provide for the examination of the books of the Insurance Commissioner and fix his bond, with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Coxe, S. B. 299, bill to incorporate the Wadesboro Public Library, is withdrawn from the Committee on Libraries and referred to Committee on Corporations.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives asking for the recall of H. B. 449, S. B. 317, bill authorizing the Board of Aldermen of the city of Hickory to pay over to the trustees of the graded school in said city $10,000 out of the proceeds of the sale of city bonds.

It is ordered that the bill be returned to the House of Representatives.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate H. B. 297, S. B. 552, bill to protect landlords and tenants, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the Committee is adopted.

Senator Boddie moves to amend:

Amend by adding the county of Franklin.

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Turner moves to amend:

Amend by striking out Catawba.

The amendment is adopted.
Senator Eller moves to amend:

Amend by excluding Forsyth.

The amendment is adopted.
Senator Bryan moves to amend:

Amend by striking out Yancey.

The amendment is adopted.
Senator Zollicoffer moves to amend:

Amend by striking out Warren.

The amendment is adopted.
Senator Crisp moves to amend:

Amend by striking out Cherokee County.

The amendment is adopted.
Senator Gilliam moves to amend:

That section 4 be amended as follows: That section 4 be stricken out and the following inserted in lieu thereof: That whenever any tenant or cropper shall enter into a contract for the rental of land for the current or ensuing year, and without just cause wilfully neglects or refuses to perform the terms of his contract, then such tenant or cropper shall forfeit his right of possession to the premises, and the landlord may recover possession of said premises in the manner provided for in section 1777 of The Code.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendments.

Upon motion of Senator Coxe, the Senate adjourns until 10:30 o'clock to-morrow.

## THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 16, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. McNeely Dubose of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Toms, the privileges of the floor are extended to ex-Senator W. T. Bell of Rutherford County.

Upon motion of Senator Toms, S. B. 265, bill to change the time of holding the courts in the several counties of the Fourteenth Judicial District, is withdrawn from the committee and placed upon the Calendar.

Upon request, Senator Toms withdraws from the further consideration of the Senate S. B. 73, bill to amend the graded school law of the town of Hendersonville, and S. B. 269, bill to amend the graded school law of the town of Hendersonville.

Upon request, Senator Aaron is permitted to withdraw S. B. 431, bill regarding public school district, Wayne County, from the further consideration of the Senate.

### ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 458, S. B. 543, an act to fix the time for holding the Superior Courts of Warren County.

H. B. 473, S. B. 502, an act amending chapter 715 of the Laws of 1901, providing for the payment of one-half fees to witnesses and officers in Caswell County when "Not a true bill" is found.

H. B. 136, S. B. 463, an act to amend the law of evidence relative to written instruments.

H. B. 851, S. B. 666, an act to appoint cotton-weighers for the city of Raleigh.

H. R. 766, S. R. 633, resolution in favor of the Nantahala Company.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Jones, petition to establish a reformatory for the youthful criminals of the negro race. Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Everett, S. B. 744, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Richmond County to issue bonds. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 745, bill to correct Grant No. 143 to David Jones in Beaufort County. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 746, bill to amend section 13, chapter 89, Acts of 1901, known as the election law. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 747, bill to incorporate the town of Atlantic in Carteret County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 748, bill to repeal chapter 141, Private Laws 1903, entitled "An act to provide for the town of Creswell and township of Scuppernong in the county of Washington." Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 749, bill to prescribe a limitation for actions upon the official bonds of executors and upon instruments made for the purpose of indemnifying the sureties upon such bonds. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Bryan, S. B. 750, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Mitchell County to rebuild bridges across Toe River. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 752, bill relative to bonds in criminal actions. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Grady, S. B. 754, bill to establish a stock law for a part of Turkey Township in Sampson County and to levy a special tax. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 751, bill to amend the public school law of the town of Hendersonville. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 753, bill to make the May Term of Vance Superior Court a two weeks term. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 760, S. B. 551, bill to prevent the throwing, placing, running or dumping sawdust into the streams of Anson, Montgomery, Macon, Rockingham, Swain and Warren Counties, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Long of Iredell, H. B. 564, S. B. 476, bill for the relief of C. G. Lee, a school-teacher of Caswell County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 566, S. B. 474, bill for the relief of Aaron W. Moore, a school-teacher in Caswell County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 565, S. B. 475, bill for the relief of Albert Bigelow, a school-teacher of Caswell County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 567, S. B. 473, bill for the relief of Julia M. Lee, a school-teacher of Caswell County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 679, bill to create a special tax school district in the counties of Sampson and Duplin, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 482, S. B. 629, bill relating to the office of County Superintendent of Schools for Rockingham County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 641, bill to provide a dormitory for the A. and M. College at Greensboro, with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Mason, the bill is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 613, bill to amend section 6, chapter 243, Private Laws of 1901, establishing graded schools in Mt. Olive, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Scales, H. B. 582, S. B. 649, bill to amend chapter 324, Public Laws of 1903, to establish graded schools in the town of Weldon, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Long of Iredell, H. B. 840, S. B. 692, bill to incorporate the Western Union Academy, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McCulloch, H. B. 632, S. B. 661, bill to authorize the issuing of bonds and levying a special tax in aid of the graded schools at Mt. Airy, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 742, bill to establish Ruffin Graded School District in Rockingham County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 431, S. B. 581, bill to amend chapter 330, Public Laws of 1903, by taking J. F. Gordon out of the Wesley

Chapel Graded School District in Union County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Stringfield, H. B. 635, S. B. 622, bill to amend chapter 86, Public Laws of 1887, relating to public schools in the town of Durham, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 231, S. B. 652, bill to compel attendance of Indians at schools, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 828, S. B. 715, bill to make the territory within the town of Lincolnton a graded school district, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 636, bill to incorporate the Greensboro Female College, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 605, bill to establish a special local tax school district in portions of Pitt and Lenoir Counties, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 657, bill for the better support of the public schools of New Hanover County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 424, bill to incorporate the Flat Rock Special School District in Henderson County. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 433, bill to amend chapter 2222 of The Code, to encourage county fairs, with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Zollicoffer, the bill is referred to Committee an Appropriations.

H. B. 7, S. B. 416, bill to amend chapter 339, Laws of 1903, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Banks and Currency:

By Senator Long of Person, H. B. 961, S. B. 721, bill to amend chapter 181, Private Laws of 1903, to extend the

time for the North State Trust Company to perfect its organization, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Empie, H. B. 343, S. B. 448, bill to amend chapter 56, Private Laws of 1899, to incorporate the Bank of Chapel Hill, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1021, S. B. 726, bill to authorize the Bank of Lumberton to increase the number of its directors, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Long of Person, H. B. 1022, S. B. 727, bill to authorize the Robeson County Loan and Trust Company to increase the number of its board of directors, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 678, bill to validate certain amendments to articles of incorporation of certain corporations, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 299, bill to incorporate the Wadesboro Public Library, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylums:

By Senator Grady, S. B. 640, bill to appropriate funds for the North Carolina School for the Deaf and Dumb, with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is referred to Committee on Appropriations.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 598, bill to incorporate the Beaufort and Western Railway Company, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 716, bill to incorporate the Appalachian Interurban Railway Company. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Miller, H. B. 794, S. B. 671, bill to regulate the working of the public roads in Craven County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 674, bill to provide for the working of the public roads of Surry County and issuing bonds for same, with favorable recommendation.

H. R. 995, S. R. 725, resolution requesting the Governor to transmit to the General Assembly such information as he may have in regard to the sale of the State's interest in the Boone and Blowing Rock Turnpike Company, made under the Public Laws of 1903, chapter 611, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 666, S. B. 650, bill to work the public roads of Montgomery County by township tax and convicts, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bryan, H. B. 704, S. B. 660, bill to amend chapter 388, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the road law of Rockingham County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 667, S. B. 685, bill to provide for the working of the public roads of Macon County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 706, bill to allow the Commissioners of Person County to expend the surplus railroad tax upon the public roads, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 614, bill to amend the charter of the city of Asheville, relative to cemeteries and prescribing rules and regulations governing the same, with favorable recommendation.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 760, S. B. 551, bill to prevent the throwing, placing, running or dumping sawdust into the streams of Anson.

Montgomery, Macon, Rockingham, Swain and Warren Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 564, S. B. 476, bill for the relief of C. G. Lee, a school-teacher of Caswell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 566, S. B. 474, bill for the relief of Aaron W. Moore, a school-teacher of Caswell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 565, S. B. 475, bill for the relief of Albert Bigelow, a school-teacher of Caswell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

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The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 840, S. B. 692, bill to incorporate the Western Union Academy, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 613, bill to amend section 6, chapter 243, Private Laws of 1901, establishing graded schools in Mt. Olive, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 742, bill to establish Ruffin Graded School District in Rockingham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, and, upon request of Senator Burton, remains upon the Calendar.

H. B. 431, S. B. 581, bill to amend chapter 330, Public Laws of 1903, by taking J. F. Gordon out of the Wesley Chapel Graded School District in Union County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 635, S. B. 622, bill to amend chapter 86, Public Laws of 1887, relating to public schools in the town of Durham, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 231, S. B. 652, bill to compel the attendance of Indians at schools, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 636, bill to incorporate the Greensboro Female College, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 7, S. B. 416, bill to amend chapter 339, Laws of 1903, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 961, S. B. 721, bill to amend chapter 181, Private Laws of 1903, to extend time for the North State Trust Company to perfect its organization, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 343, S. B. 448, bill to amend chapter 56, Private Laws of 1899, to incorporate the Bank of Chapel Hill, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1021, S. B. 726, bill to authorize the Bank of Lumberton to increase the number of its directors, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1022, S. B. 727, bill to authorize the Robeson County Loan and Trust Company to increase the number of its board of directors, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 678, bill to validate certain amendments to the certificates or articles of incorporation of certain corporations, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 299, bill to incorporate the Wadesboro Public Library, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 598, bill to incorporate the Beaufort and Western Railway Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. R. 995, S. R. 725, resolution requesting the Governor to transmit to the General Assembly such information as he may have in regard to the sale of the State's interest in the Boone and Blowing Rock Turnpike Company, made under the Public Laws of 1903, chapter 611, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 706, bill to allow the Commissioners of Person County to expend the surplus railroad tax upon the public roads, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 535, S. B. 472, bill to incorporate the town of Andrews in the county of Cherokee, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

H. B. 562, S. B. 626, bill to improve the public roads in Valleytown Township in Cherokee County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 674, bill to provide for the working of public roads of Surry County and issuing bonds for same, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch,

McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

S. B. 424, bill to incorporate the Flat Rock Special School District in Henderson County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Masón of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

S. B. 598, bill to incorporate the Beaufort and Western Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

S. B. 716, bill to incorporate the Appalachian Interurban Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

H. B. 828, S. B. 715, bill to make the territory within the town of Lincolnton a graded school district, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

H. B. 582, S. B. 649, bill to amend chapter 324 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, 1903, entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Weldon, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

S. B. 605, bill to establish a special local tax school district in portions of Pitt and Lenoir Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

H. B. 704, S. B. 660, bill to amend chapter 388 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the road laws of Rockingham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

H. B. 794, S. B. 671, bill to regulate the working of public roads in Craven County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

H. B. 667, S. B. 685, bill to provide for the working of the public roads of Macon County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

S. B. 679, bill to create a special tax school district in counties of Sampson and Duplin, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

H. B. 666, S. B. 650, bill to work the public roads of Montgomery County by township tax and convicts, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

H. B. 632, S. B. 661, bill to authorize the issuing of bonds and levying taxes in aid of the graded schools at Mount Airy, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Moore, McLean, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—32.

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Messages from the House of Representatives were received, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1033, S. B. 755, bill to establish stock law in part of Clay County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1032, S. B. 756, bill to regulate the pay of jurors in Harnett County. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 278, S. B. 757, bill to amend the charter of the town of Hillsboro, providing for the regulation of the liquor traffic in certain contingencies. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 333, S. B. 758, bill to compel attendance in the public schools in Watauga County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 770, S. B. 759, bill to prevent the felling of timber trees and dead bodies in the streams of Ashe County. Referred to the committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 790, S. B. 760, bill to allow county commissioners of certain counties the same compensation for holding call meetings as is now allowed by law for holding regular meetings. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 761, S. B. 761, bill to appoint a cotton-weigher for the town of Lillington, Harnett County, and to regulate the duties thereof. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 909, S. B. 762, bill to amend chapter 184, Public Laws 1885, concerning the drainage of certain lands in Lincoln and Gaston Counties. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 973, S. B. 763, bill to amend chapter 482, Public Laws of 1903, relating to depredations by domestic fowls in Chatham County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Jones, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills and resolutions are correctly engrossed, and they are ordered sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

H. B. 801, S. B. 585, bill to prevent persons operating saw-mills in Graham, Lincoln and Catawba Counties from putting sawdust or permitting sawdust from their mills from going into the streams in said counties.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting H. B. 496, S. B. 187, bill to regulate judicial salaries, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

Upon request, Senator Williams is permitted to withdraw S. B. 49, bill to amend chapter 584, Public Laws of 1903, and extend the time for organizing the Southern Electric and Power Company from the Committee on Corporations, and it is placed upon its immediate passage.

Senator Williams offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 265, bill to change the time of holding the courts in the several counties of the Fourteenth Judicial District, upon second reading.

Senator Toms offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 614, bill to amend the charter of the city of Asheville, relative to cemeteries and prescribing rules and regulations governing the same, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 554, bill to amend chapter 374, Public Laws of 1903, to increase the rank of quartermaster-general, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 753, bill to make the May Term of Vance County Superior Court a two weeks term, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 705, bill to provide for the examination of the books of the Insurance Commissioner and to fix his bond, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 751, bill to amend the public school law of the town of Hendersonville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 553, bill to amend section 548, Public Laws of 1903, so as to increase the salary of brigadier-generals, upon second reading.

Senator Grady moves to amend:

Amend by changing to $300 instead of $500.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Pending the further consideration of the above bill the President lays before the Senate S. B. 176, bill creating a Board of Control of the North Carolina Industrial Schools, providing for the erection and management of said schools,

specifying a method of procedure against juvenile delinquents and providing for the management, detention, education and training of such delinquents, upon second reading, it being a special order for this hour.

Senator Turner moves to amend:

Change the word "industrial" to "training."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Burton moves to amend:

Amend by striking out the words and figures "fifty thousand dollars ($50,000)" in line 7 of section 14 and inserting "ten thousand dollars ($10,000)."

The amendment fails.

Senator Fleming moves to amend:

Amend by striking out the words "fifty thousand," where they appear in the bill, and insert the words "twenty-five thousand."

The amendment fails.

Senator Empie moves to amend:

Amend section 3, line 6, by striking out "said board of control" and inserting "State of North Carolina."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Williams moves to amend:

Amend by adding after the word "court" in line 5 of section 9, the words "if convenient to the court."

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

Upon motion of Senator Odell, the Senate adjourns until 10:30 o'clock to-morrow.

## THIRTY-NINTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 17, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. I. McK. Pittinger of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Shaw, S. B. 700, bill to divide the net proceeds of the dispensaries of Johnston County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turner, H. B. 671, S. B. 627, bill prohibiting the sale of cigarettes within two miles of Sharp's Institute in Rockingham County. The committee recommends that the bill be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted and the bill is so referred.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 676, S. B. 693, bill to protect landlords and tenants in certain counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, H. B. 1033, S. B. 755, bill to establish a stock law in certain part of Clay County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 795, S. B. 584, bill to prevent hunting and fishing upon the lands of another in Wayne County without permission of the owner, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 699, bill to drain the low lands of the French Broad and its tributaries in Hender-

son County. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 709, bill to provide for buildings for the State Normal School for the negro race and for other purposes, with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the bill is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 436, bill to amend section 644 of The Code so as to allow service by publication in actions to set aside decrees of divorce, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 392, bill to facilitate the calculation of the present value of annuities, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Empie, H. B. 464, S. B. 380, bill to prevent public drunkenness in Manly Public School District in Moore County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Williams, H. B. 63, S. B. 97, bill to re-establish the office of Treasurer of Sampson County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 430, bill to increase the number of Commissioners in Sampson County and to re-establish the office of treasurer and provide for the appointment of same. The committee reports a substitute without prejudice.

Upon request, Senator Grady is permitted to withdraw the original bill and the substitute.

By Senator Duls, H. B. 935, S. B. 659, resolution as to Governor's message in regard to State bonds held by Schafer Bros., and S. R. 655, resolution relative to South Dakota judgment. The committee reports a substitute for the two bills, and recommends its passage.

From the Committee on Salaries and Fees:

By Senator Pearson, H. B. 70, S. B. 204, bill to increase the pay of jurors in Halifax and Northampton Counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Fleming, S. R. 730, resolution relative to the compensation and traveling expenses of the pages. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 142, S. B. 220, bill for working the public roads in Hertford County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Burton, S. B. 226, bill to reduce passenger fares to three cents per mile and to abolish distinction between first and second-class passengers, with an unfavorable recommendation.

Senator Sinclair submits a minority report, recommending the passage of the bill with an amendment.

Upon motion of Senator Sinclair, the bill is made special order for Thursday, February 23d, at 12 o'clock.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Fleming, H. B. 512, S. B. 401, bill to amend section 452 of The Code as to time of publication of county revenues and charges, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Jones, H. B. 365, S. B. 443, bill to amend chapter 89, Public Laws of 1901, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Vann, H. B. 511, S. B. 663, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Tyrrell County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 841, bill to authorize the Aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 565, bill to authorize the county of Richmond to issue township bonds for good roads and to change the boundary line of Rockingham Township, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 875, S. B. 687, bill to provide sewerage for the city of Monroe, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1000, S. B. 723, bill to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds to pay floating debt, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Watkins, S. B. 630, bill to revise and amend the charter of the town of Norwood, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 866, S. B. 688, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Camden County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 734, bill to establish a free ferry across the Cape Fear River at Elwell's Landing, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 703, bill to incorporate the town of Rocky Point in Pender County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 584, S. B. 534, bill to fix the pay of County Commissioners in Northampton County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bryan, H. B. 933, S. B. 719, bill to authorize the city of Charlotte to issue bonds and provide for the payment of the same, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 752, S. B. 588, bill to regulate the fees of jurors in Currituck County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 673, S. B. 643, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Kings Mountain to issue bonds for street improvement, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 747, bill to incorporate the town of Atlantic in Carteret County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 303, S. B. 689, bill to amend chapter 17, Public Laws of 1899, by striking out "Greene" and inserting "Hertford," with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 870, S. B. 713, bill to allow the Board of Commissioners of Hyde County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 887, S. B. 720, bill to regulate the pay of jurors in Chowan County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, H. B. 314, S. B. 280, bill to amend chapter 65, Public Laws of 1895, relating to barbed wire fences in Rockingham County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 564, bill to amend chapter 109, Private Laws of 1887, amending charter of the town of Falkland in Pitt County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 859, S. B. 714, bill to incorporate the town of Walnut in Madison County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 708, bill to incorporate the town of Godwin in Cumberland County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 612, S. B. 513, bill to amend charter of the town of LaGrange in Lenoir County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, the bill is re-referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 618, S. B. 683, bill to amend charter of the town of Mt. Airy, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 738, bill to amend charter of the town of Mt. Olive, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, H. B. 674, S. B. 644, bill to authorize the town of Kings Mountain to issue bonds for electric lights, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 744, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Richmond County to issue bonds, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 832, S. B. 718, bill to establish graded schools and improve the streets of the city of Randleman, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 258, S. B. 358, bill to amend chapter 428, Public Laws of 1901, authorizing the Commissioners of Duplin County to sell the Home for the Aged and Infirm and for other purposes, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 642, S. B. 684, bill to provide for levying a special tax to build an iron bridge across the French Broad River at or near Barnard in Madison County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bryan, H. B. 714, S. B. 590, bill to amend charter of the town of Marshall, relative to election of chief of police and tax collector, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 739, bill to amend chapter 129, Private Laws of 1901, relative to the charter of the town of Williamston, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 560, S. B. 478, bill to authorize and empower the Commissioners of Caldwell County to sell the old courthouse, etc., with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 797, S. B. 694, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Anson County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 602, S. B. 691, bill to repeal chapter 172, Private Laws of 1901, and chapter 20, Private Laws of 1903, incorporating the town of Roseman in Transylvania County, with favorable recommendation.

PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

Petition of the citizens of Northampton County asking that the present road law of said county be not repealed. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 770, bill requiring all packages of liquors for shipment into prohibitory territory to be marked so as to show the contents thereof. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 771, bill to amend chapter 14 of the Private Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 371, Private Laws of 1903, amending the charter of the town of Hamlet. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 772, bill to amend chapter 437, Public Laws, regarding the bird law in Henderson County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 773, bill to amend chapter 436, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the protection of fish in Henderson and Yancey Counties. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 774, bill to regulate the killing of quail and other game birds in Buncombe County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

S. B. 775, bill to require the establishment and maintenance of fish-ways in certain streams in Buncombe County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

S. B. 776, bill to build certain iron bridges in Henderson County and to apply certain road funds. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 777, bill to appropriate and consolidate the annual appropriation for the Moore's Creek Battle Ground Association. Referred to the Committee on Library.

S. B. 778, bill to amend the charter of the town of Gastonia. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 779, bill to submit to the qualified voters of Buncombe County the question of issuing bonds for the macadamizing of the public roads of said county, and to create a highway commission therein. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 780, bill to relieve S. J. Black, ex-Treasurer of Mitchell County. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 781, bill to amend chapter 294, Public Laws of 1903, in regard to the courts of Pitt County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 782, bill to authorize the Road Commissioners of Waynesville Township, Haywood County, to pay over certain funds to the town aldermen of Waynesville, etc. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 783, bill to amend the charter of Waynesville concerning the power of the chief of police. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 784, bill to prohibit any tannery or tanic acid plant from discharging waste matters in Richland Creek above Waynesville. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 785, bill to charter the Waynesville Railway and Power Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1108, S. B. 764, bill to amend the omnibus liquor law of 1903, chapter 276, Laws of 1903, and to prescribe a

punishment for the violation thereof. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 681, S. B. 765, bill to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1883, and chapter 123, Private Laws of 1889, amending, revising and consolidating the charter of the town of Franklin in Macon County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 834, S. B. 766, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to fund its debt and levy tax for the payment of the same. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 836, S. B. 767, bill authorizing the Mayor and Commissioners of the town of Beaufort to issue bonds for the purchase of real estate for a site for a hotel in said town. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 936, S. B. 768, bill to create a stock law territory in a part of Neill's Creek Township, Harnett County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 975, S. B. 769, bill to amend charter of the town of Brevard, Transylvania County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 907, S. B. 787, bill to amend the charter of the town of Orum in Robeson County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 609, S. B. 788, bill to levy a special tax in Wilkes County for the purpose of building bridges across the Yadkin River. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 757, S. B. 391, bill to extend the corporate limits of the town of Rhodhiss, N. C., for concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 815, S. B. 512, bill to amend chapter 100, Private Laws of 1891, relative to the town of Conoho, Martin County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 801, S. B. 585, bill to prevent persons operating saw-mills in Graham, Lincoln and Catawba Counties from putting sawdust or permitting sawdust from their mills getting into the streams of said counties, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Grady, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and ordered sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 343, S. B. 448, an act to amend chapter 56 of the Private Laws of 1899, being an act to incorporate the "Bank of Chapel Hill."

H. B. 947, S. B. 526, an act to incorporate the town of Lawarae.

H. B. 760, S. B. 551, an act to prevent the throwing, placing, running or dumping sawdust into the streams of Anson, Montgomery, Macon, Rockingham, Swain and Warren Counties.

H. B. 7, S. B. 416, an act to amend chapter 339 of the Public Laws of 1903, being a substitute for H. B. 7.

H. B. 961, S. B. 721, an act to allow the North State Trust Company time to organize.

H. B. 1022, S. B. 727, an act to authorize the Robeson County Loan and Trust Company of Lumberton to increase the number of its board of directors.

H. B. 496, S. B. 187, an act to regulate judicial salaries.

H. B. 431, S. B. 581, an act to amend chapter 330 of Public Laws of 1903, by taking J. P. Gordon out of Wesley Chapel Graded School District in Union County.

H. B. 562, S. B. 626, an act to improve the public roads in Valleytown Township in Cherokee County.

H. B. 965, S. B. 475, an act for the relief of Albert Bigelow, a school-teacher in Caswell County.

H. B. 567, S. B. 473, an act for the relief of Julia M. Lee, a school-teacher in Caswell County.

H. B. 247, S. B. 65, an act for the protection of growers of ginseng.

H. B. 635, S. B. 622, an act to amend chapter 86 of the Public Laws of 1887, entitled "An act relating to the public schools in the town of Durham."

H. B. 1021, S. B. 726, an act to authorize the Bank of Lumberton, of Lumberton, to increase the number of its directors.

H. B. 840, S. B. 692, an act to incorporate Western Union Academy.

H. B. 566, S. B. 474, an act for the relief of Aaron W. Moore, a school-teacher in Caswell County.

H. B. 564, S. B. 476, an act for the relief of C. G. Lea, a school-teacher in Caswell County.

H. B. 231, S. B. 652, an act to compel attendance of Indians at school.

H. R. 995, S. R. 725, joint resolution requesting the Governor to transmit to the General Assembly such information as he may have in regard to the sale of the State's interest in the Boone and Blowing Rock Turnpike Company under chapter 611, Public Laws of 1903.

Upon request, Senator Webb is permitted to withdraw S. B. 560, bill to authorize and direct the issue of State bonds, to provide sufficient funds to equip the State Hospitals for the Insane and the several State educational institutions with necessary permanent improvements, from the further consideration of the Senate.

A resolution is received and read from the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Arizona, asking that our Senators in Congress be requested to give consideration to the protests and objections of the citizens of Arizona to the bill

now pending in the Senate of the United States to make one State of the Territories of Arizona and New Mexico.

The resolution is referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Coxe, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill is correctly engrossed, and it is ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 631, bill to incorporate the Edgecombe Railway Company.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 700, bill to divide the net proceeds of the dispensaries of Johnston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 676, S. B. 693, bill to protect landlords and tenants in certain counties, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

Senator Bryan moves to amend:

Amend by striking out Yancey County.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and it is ordered that the amendments be engrossed and the bill sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendments.

H. B. 1033, S. B. 755, bill to establish a stock law in part of Clay County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 795, S. B. 584, bill to prohibit hunting and fishing upon the lands of another in Wayne County without permission of the owner, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 436, bill to amend section 644 of The Code, so as to allow service by publication in actions to set aside decrees of divorce, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 392, bill to facilitate the calculation of the present worth of annuities, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 464, S. B. 380, bill to prevent public drunkenness in Manly Public School District in Moore County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 63, S. B. 97, bill to re-establish the office of Treasurer of Sampson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 935, H. B. 659, resolution as to Governor's message in regard to State bonds held by Schafer Bros., upon second reading.

S. B. 655, resolution relative to South Dakota judgment, upon second reading.

The substitute for the above two bills, reported by the committee, is adopted.

The substitute passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. R. 730, resolution relative to the compensation and traveling expenses of the pages, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 734, bill to establish a free ferry across the Cape Fear River at Elwell's Landing, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 584, S. B. 534, bill to fix the pay of County Commissioners in Northampton County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 752, S. B. 588, bill to regulate the fees of jurors in Currituck County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 747, bill to incorporate the town of Atlantic in Carteret County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 303, S. B. 689, bill to amend chapter 17, Public Laws of 1899, by striking out Greene and inserting Hertford, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 887, S. B. 720, bill to regulate the pay of jurors in Chowan County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 314, S. B. 280, bill to amend chapter 65, Public Laws of 1895, relating to barbed wire fences in Rockingham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 794, S. B. 671, bill to regulate the working of public roads in Craven County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 632, S. B. 661, bill to authorize the issuing of bonds and levying taxes in aid of the graded schools at Mount Airy, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Webb, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 715, H. B. 828, bill to make the territory within the town of Lincolnton a graded school district, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Webb, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 704, S. B. 660, bill to amend chapter 388 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the road law of Rockingham County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 667, S. B. 685, bill to provide for the working of the public roads of Macon County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 666, S. B. 650, bill to work the public roads of Montgomery County by township tax and convicts, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore,

Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 679, bill to create a special tax school district in the counties of Sampson and Duplin, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 424, bill to incorporate the Flat Rock Special School District in Henderson County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 598, bill to incorporate the Beaufort and Western Railroad Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of

Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 716, bill to incorporate the Appalachian Interurban Railroad Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 582, S. B. 649, bill to amend chapter 324 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, 1903, to establish graded schools in the town of Weldon, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

S. B. 605, bill to establish a special local tax school district of portions of Pitt and Lenoir Counties, upon third reading.

Senator Fleming offers a substitute, which is adopted.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1000, S. B. 723, bill to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds to pay the floating debt, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Turner, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 630, bill to amend the charter of Norwood, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 688, H. B. 866, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Camden County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 703, bill to incorporate the town of Rocky Point in Pender County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Eller, Fleming, Jones, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 663, bill authorizing the County Commissioners of Tyrrell County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Turner, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 744, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Richmond County to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 682, H. B. 841, bill to authorize the Aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Pearson, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 565, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Rockingham County to issue bonds (township) for good roads and to change the boundary line of Rockingham Township, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Toms, Sinclair, Taylor, Turner, Tur-

rentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 687, H. B. 875, bill to provide sewerage for the city of Monroe, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 564, bill to amend chapter 109 of the Public Laws of 1887, amending the charter of the town of Falkland in Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Turner, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 870, S. B. 713, bill to allow the Board of Commissioners of Hyde County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield,

Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 673, S. B. 643, bill to authorize the town of Kings Mountain to issue bonds for street purposes and improvements, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 933, S. B. 719, bill to authorize the city of Charlotte to issue bonds and to provide for the payment of same, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 618, S. B. 683, bill to amend the charter of the town of Mount Airy, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms,

Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 859, S. B. 714, bill to incorporate the town of Walnut in Madison County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 674, S. B. 644, bill to authorize the town of Kings Mountain to issue bonds for electric lights, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 832, S. B. 718, bill to establish graded schools and to improve the streets in the city of Randleman, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Tur-

rentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 642, S. B. 684, bill to provide for levying a special tax to build an iron bridge across French Broad River at or near Barnard, Madison County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 797, S. B. 649, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Anson County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Taylor, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 699, bill to drain the lowlands of French Broad and its tributaries in Henderson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, McLean, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor,

Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 142, S. B. 220, bill for working the public roads in Hertford County, upon second reading.

The amendments reported by the committee are adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 738, bill to amend the charter of the town of Mount Olive, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 708, bill to incorporate the town of Godwin in Cumberland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 258, S. B. 358, bill to amend chapter 428, Public Laws of 1901, authorizing the Commissioners of Duplin County to sell the Home for the Aged and Infirm and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 739, bill to amend chapter 129, Private Laws of 1901, relative to charter of the town of Williamston, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 560, S. B. 478, bill to authorize and empower the Commissioners of Caldwell County to sell the old court-house, etc., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 602, S. B. 691, bill to repeal chapter 172, Private Laws of 1901, and chapter 20, Private Laws of 1903, to incorporate the town of Roseman in Transylvania County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 512, S. B. 401, bill to amend section 452 of The Code, as to time of publication of county revenues and charges, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 365, S. B. 443, bill to amend chapter 89, Public Laws of 1901, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 637, bill to amend chapter 428, Public Laws of 1903, relative to anti-jug law of Pender County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 768, S. B. 566, bill to abolish dispensary at Seaboard, Northampton County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 757, S. B. 391, bill to extend the corporate limits of the town of Rhodhiss, N. C., upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 815, S. B. 512, bill to amend chapter 100, Private Laws of 1891, relative to town of Conoho in Martin County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Stubbs, the further consideration of the bill is postponed.

H. B. 585, S. B. 801, bill to prevent persons operating saw-mills in Graham, Lincoln and Catawba Counties from putting or permitting sawdust from their mills getting in the streams of said counties, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 781, bill to amend chapter 294, Public Laws of 1903, in regard to the courts of Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. R. 790, resolution to pay expenses of joint sub-committee on Deaf and Dumb, which visited the institution at Morganton, upon second reading.

Senator Scales moves to amend:

Amend by adding ratification clause to the resolution.

The amendment is adopted.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Alexander, the Senate adjourns until 10:30 o'clock to-morrow.

## FORTIETH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 18, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. G. W. Starling of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, leave of absence is granted Senator Aaron until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Alexander, leave of absence is granted Senator Grady until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, leave of absence is granted Senators Burton and Zollicoffer until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Duls, leave of absence is granted Senator Thorne until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Person, leave of absence is granted Senator Odell until Tuesday.

### ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Boddie, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills and resolutions are correctly engrossed, and they are ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 178, bill to provide a training school for juvenile delinquents.

S. B. 186, bill to establish a Department of Commerce and Immigration.

### ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Alexander, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and ordered sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 828, S. B. 715, an act to make the territory within the town of Lincolnton a graded school district.

H. B. 801, S. B. 585, an act to prevent persons operating saw-mills in Graham County, Lincoln County and Catawba County from putting or allowing sawdust from their mills to go into any stream in Graham, Lincoln and Catawba Counties.

H. B. 757, S. B. 391, an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Rhodhiss, and extend the limits of the Rhodhiss Graded School.

H. B. 752, S. B. 588, an act to regulate the fees of jurors in Currituck County.

H. B. 795, S. B. 584, an act to prohibit hunting and fishing upon the lands of another in Wayne County without the written permission of the owner.

H. B. 258, S. B. 358, an act to amend chapter 428 of the Public Laws of 1901, authorizing the Commissioners of Duplin County to sell the Home for the Aged and Infirm and for other purposes.

H. B. 887, S. B. 720, an act to regulate pay of jurors in Chowan County.

H. B. 602, S. B. 691, an act to repeal chapter 172 of the Private Laws of 1901, and chapter 20 of the Private Laws of 1903, and to incorporate the town of Roseman in Transylvania County.

H. B. 704, S. B. 660, an act to amend chapter 388 of Public Laws of 1903, entitled "An act to allow Rockingham County to vote on the question of issuing bonds for improvement of public roads."

H. B. 314, S. B. 280, an act to amend chapter 65 of the Public Laws of 1895.

H. B. 768, S. B. 566, an act to abolish the dispensary in the town of Seaboard, Northampton County.

H. B. 632, S. B. 661, an act to authorize the issuing of bonds and levying taxes in aid of the graded schools at Mount Airy.

H. B. 365, S. B. 443, an act to amend chapter 89, section 32 of the Public Laws of 1901.

H. B. 560, S. B. 478, an act to authorize and empower the Commissioners of Caldwell County to sell the old courthouse, etc.

H. B. 794, S. B. 671, an act to establish a convict system of working the public roads in Craven County.

H. B. 63, S. B. 97, an act to re-establish the office of Treasurer of Sampson County.

H. B. 303, S. B. 689, an act to amend chapter 17 of the Public Laws of 1899, by striking out "Greene" in section 6, and inserting "Hertford" in place thereof.

H. B. 584, S. B. 534, an act to prescribe and fix the compensation of County Commissioners of Northampton County.

H. B. 464, S. B. 380, an act to prevent public drunkenness in Manly School District in Moore County.

H. B. 512, S. B. 401, an act to amend section 752 of The Code as to the time of publication of county revenues and charges.

H. B. 1033, S. B. 755, an act to establish stock law in part of Clay County.

H. B. 666, S. B. 650, an act for working the public roads in Montgomery County.

H. B. 667, S. B. 685, an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Macon County.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 677, bill to establish a graded school at Robersonville. The committee reports an amend-

ment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Taylor, H. B. 848, S. B. 695, bill to incorporate the Stony Point Church, known as the Free Church, in Salem Chapel Township in Forsyth County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 446, S. B. 550, bill to prohibit the placing of sawdust from saw-mills in the South Fork River, Burke County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 925, S. B. 724, bill to extend the time for rebuilding a mill on Bear Creek in Moore County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, H. B. 745, S. B. 696, bill to prevent the sale of meats of diseased animals. The committee recommends that the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The recommendation of the Committee is adopted and the bill is so referred.

H. B. 936, S. B. 768, bill to create a stock law territory in a part of Neill's Creek Township in Harnett County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 671, S. B. 642, bill to consolidate certain stock law districts in McDowell County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 939, S. B. 761, bill to appoint a cotton-weigher for the town of Lillington, Harnett County, and regulate the duties thereof, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 772, bill to amend chapter 437, Public Laws, regarding the bird law of Henderson County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 784, bill to prohibit any tannery or tanic acid plant from discharging waste matter in Richmond Creek above Waynesville, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 909, S. B. 762, bill to amend chapter 184, Public Laws of 1885, concerning the drainage of certain lands in Lincoln and Gaston Counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 865, S. B. 717, bill to prevent live stock from running at large in certain territory in Columbus County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 973, S. B. 763, bill to amend chapter 482, Public Laws of 1903, relating to depredations by domestic fowls in Chatham County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 773, bill to amend chapter 436, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the protection of fish in Henderson and Yancey Counties, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Banks and Currency:

By Senator Watkins, H. B. 700, S. B. 651, bill to amend section 2, chapter 225, Public Laws of 1903, relating to banks, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 394, bill to amend chapter 275, Public Laws of 1903, revising the banking laws. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

H. B. 99, S. B. 403, bill to incorporate the Commercial and Farmers Bank of Enfield, Halifax County, N. C. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Ward, S. B. 681, bill to ratify, confirm and amend the charter of the Asheville Auditorium Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 786, bill to incorporate the Tallassee Power Company, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 599, S. B. 646, bill to amend charter of the Alpine Cotton Mills Company and to validate, ratify and confirm all acts, deeds and contracts entered into by and with said

corporation in name of Alpine Cotton Mills, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home:

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 793, bill authorizing Confederate memorials in and around the capitol building at Raleigh, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Watkins, H. B. 569, S. B. 625, bill to incorporate the town of Salemburg in Sampson County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 907, S. B. 787, bill to amend charter of the town of Orum in Robeson County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 607, bill to amend the charter of the city of Durham. The committee reports a substitute with amendment, and recommends the passage of the substitute as amended.

S. B. 792, bill to amend chapter 192, Private Laws of 1903, so as to provide a permanent light and water commission for the town of Greenville, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 771, bill to amend chapter 14, Private Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 771, Private Laws of 1903, amending charter of the town of Hamlet, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 509, bill to amend chapter 115, Private Laws of 1899, to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Greenville, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McLean, H. B. 517, S. B. 404, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Sampson County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay the indebtedness created by building a court-house, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 783, bill to amend charter of

Waynesville, concerning the powers of the chief of police. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Bryan, H. B. 836, S. B. 767, bill to authorize the Mayor and Commissioners of the town of Beaufort to issue bonds to purchase real estate for a site on which to build a hotel in said town, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 878, S. B. 692, bill to repeal chapter 306, Laws of 1903, relating to Person County, with favorable recommendation.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Duls, S. B. 795, bill to restrict incurring debts by municipalities. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Bragaw, by request, S. B. 796, bill to regulate the sale of wine and cider in Tyrrell County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 797, bill for the relief of Cattie Kirby, a school-teacher in Anson County. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 798, bill to amend section 1050 of The Code, Laws of 1899, chapter 355, relative to sale and manufacture of liquors in Iredell County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Mason of Northampton, S. B. 799, bill to repeal chapter 478, Public Laws of 1899, regulating the holding of inquests in Northampton County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 800, bill to amend charter of the town of Laurinburg, and allow the commissioners of said town to issue bonds for the payment of outstanding

indebtedness of said town for electric lights and to levy taxes. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Turner, S. B. 801, bill supplemental to an act relating to fees of witnesses in certain counties. Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 802, bill to place certain widows of Confederate soldiers on the pension roll. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 803, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Southern Pines. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 804, bill to amend chapter 150, Public Laws of 1883, relative to the County of Durham. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 805, bill to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways of Pasquotank County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Watkins, S. B. 806, bill to authorize and empower the Trustees of Esther Academy to convey by fee-simple deed all or any part of the lot upon which said academy was burned on January 25, 1905. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 807, bill to pay the solicitors of the State stipulated salary instead of fees. Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 808, bill to amend section 913 of The Code, in reference to special terms of court and exchange of courts. Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 809, bill to amend chapter 89, Public Laws of 1901, relating to elections. Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 810, bill to provide a fund for erecting school buildings in Guilford County. Referred to Committee on Education.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 512, H. B. 815, bill to amend chapter 100, Private Laws of 1901, relative to the town of Conoho in Martin County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Stubbs, the Senate refuses to concur in the House amendment.

The President appoints Senators Stubbs, Bragaw and Taylor as conference committee on the part of the Senate to meet with a like committee from the House to consider the bill.

H. B. 848, S. B. 695, bill to incorporate Stony Point Church, known as the Free Church, in Salem Chapel Township, Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 446, S. B. 550, bill to prohibit the placing of sawdust from saw-mills in South Fork River, Burke County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 925, S. B. 724, bill to extend the time for rebuilding a mill on Bear Creek in Moore County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 939, S. B. 761, bill to appoint a cotton-weigher for the town of Lillington, Harnett County, and regulate the duties thereof, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 772, bill to amend chapter 437, Public Laws, regarding the bird law of Henderson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 784, bill to prohibit any tannery or tanic acid plant from discharging waste matter in Richmond Creek above Waynesville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 909, S. B. 762, bill to amend chapter 184, Public Laws of 1885, concerning the drainage of certain lands in Lincoln and Gaston Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 973, S. B. 763, bill to amend chapter 482, Public Laws of 1903, relating to depredations by domestic fowls in Chatham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 773, bill to amend chapter 436, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the protection of fish in Henderson and Yancey Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 394, bill to amend chapter 275, Public Laws of 1903, revising the banking laws, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the further consideration of the bill is postponed and it remains upon the Calendar.

H. B. 99, S. B. 403, bill to incorporate the Commercial and Farmers Bank of Enfield, Halifax County, N. C., upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 681, bill to ratify, confirm and amend the charter of the Asheville Auditorium Company, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, the further consideration of the bill is postponed and it remains upon the Calendar.

S. B. 786, bill to incorporate the Tallassee Power Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 599, S. B. 646, bill to amend charter of the Alpine Cotton Mills Company and to validate, ratify and confirm all acts, deeds and contracts entered into by and with said corporation in the name of Alpine Cotton Mills, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 607, bill to amend charter of the town of Durham, upon second reading.

The amendment to the substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon request, Senator Foushee is permitted to withdraw the original S. B. 607, bill to amend the charter of the town of Durham, from the consideration of the Senate.

S. B. 792, bill to amend chapter 122, Private Laws of 1903, so as to provide a permanent light and water commission for the town of Greenville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 509, bill to amend chapter 115, Private Laws of

1899, to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Greenville, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the further consideration of the bill is postponed and it remains upon the Calendar.

S. B. 783, bill to amend charter of Waynesville concerning the powers of the chief of police, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 878, S. B. 697, bill to repeal chapter 306, Laws of 1903, relating to Person County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Williams, S. B. 710, bill to repeal section 3, chapter 375, Public Laws of 1899, as to Lexington Township in Davidson County, is withdrawn from the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns and placed upon its immediate passage.

The amendment offered by Senator Williams is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

The President announces the appointment of Senator Foushee on the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds in the place of Senator Everett, who is away on leave of absence on account of sickness.

Upon motion of Senator Bragaw, H. B. 148, S. B. 209, bill to prevent riding bicycles on the sidewalks of Roper, N. C., is taken from the table and referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

Senator Turner sends forward the report of the joint committee to visit the Deaf and Dumb Institution at Morganton, which is read and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 618, S. B. 683, bill to amend the charter of the town of Mount Airy, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 859, S. B. 714, bill to incorporate the town of Walnut in Madison County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 674, S. B. 644, bill to authorize the town of Kings Mountain to issue bonds for electric lights, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 673, S. B. 643, bill to authorize the town of Kings Mountain to issue bonds for street improvements, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Ward, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 933, S. B. 719, bill to authorize the city of Charlotte to issue bonds and provide for the payment of same, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 870, S. B. 713, bill to allow the Board of Commissioners of Hyde County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean,

Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1000, S. B. 723, bill to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds to pay the floating debt, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 511, S. B. 663, bill authorizing the County Commissioners of Tyrrell County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 866, S. B. 688, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Camden County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 841, S. B. 682, bill to authorize the Aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 642, S. B. 684, bill to provide for the levying a special tax to build an iron bridge across French Broad River at or near Barnard, Madison County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 797, S. B. 694, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Anson County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 875, S. B. 687, bill to provide sewerage for the city of Monroe, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 832, S. B. 718, bill to establish graded schools and to improve the streets in the city of Randleman, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield,

Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 738, bill to amend the charter of the town of Mount Olive, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 699, bill to drain the low land of French Broad and its tributaries in Henderson County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 564, bill amending the charter of the town of Falkland in Pitt County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean,

Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 630, bill to revise and amend the charter of the town of Norwood, N. C., upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 744, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Richmond County to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 565, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Richmond County to issue township bonds for good roads and to change the boundary line of Rockingham Township, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 703, bill to incorporate Rocky Point in Pender County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 142, S. B. 220, bill for working the roads of Hertford County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

S. B. 625, H. B. 569, bill to incorporate the town of Salemburg in Sampson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

H. B. 836, S. B. 767, bill authorizing the Mayor and Commissioners of the town of Beaufort to issue bonds for the purchase of real estate for a site for a hotel in said town, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

S. B. 404, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Sampson County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay the indebtedness created by building a court-house, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

S. B. 771, bill amending charter of the town of Hamlet, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

H. B. 907, S. B. 787, bill to amend the charter of the town of Orum in Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

H. B. 865, S. B. 717, bill to prevent live stock from running at large in a certain territory in Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

H. B. 936, S. B. 768, bill to create a stock law territory in a certain part of Nails Creek Township in Harnett County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

H. B. 677, S. B. 642, bill to consolidate certain stock law districts in McDowell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

S. B. 778, bill to amend the charter of the town of Gastonia, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

S. B. 677, bill to establish a graded school at Robersonville, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—35.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the Senate adjourns until Monday at 12 o'clock.

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## FORTY-FIRST DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 20, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. J. C. Massee of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correcct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, leave of absence is granted Senator Sinclair until to-morrow.

Upon motion of Senator Ward, the courtesies of the floor are extended ex-Senator Parrott of Lenoir County.

Upon motion of Senator Stringfield, H. B. 975, S. B. 769, bill to amend charter of the town of Brevard, is withdrawn from the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns and placed upon the Calendar.

Senator Fleming reintroduces S. B. 39, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Pitt County to levy a special tax,

which passes its first reading and is placed upon the Calendar.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Insurance:

By Senator Scales, S. B. 274, bill to amend chapter 877, Public Laws of 1901, to prevent fire waste, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Shaw, S. B. 776, bill to build certain iron bridges in Henderson County and to apply certain road funds, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 782, bill authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Waynesville Township in Haywood County to pay certain funds to the Aldermen of the town of Waynesville, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 779, bill to submit to the qualified voters of Buncombe County the question of issuing bonds, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Miller, S. B. 750, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Mitchell County to rebuild bridge across Toe River, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 330, S. B. 315, bill to amend public law of Halifax County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Jones, S. B. 803, bill to revise, consolidate and amend charter of the town of Southern Pines. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Webb, H. B. 844, S. B. 672, bill to regulate the pay of County Surveyor in Rowan County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 662, S. B. 645, bill to ratify the acts and proceed-

ings relating to the issuance of bonds by the town of Lexington, etc., with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Libraries:

By Senator Empie, S. B. 107, bill to amend section 16, chapter 16, Private Laws of 1903, relating to Charlotte Carnegie Public Library, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turner, S. B. 732, bill to erect a suitable monument to the memory of the late Willie P. Mangum. The committee recommends that the bill be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The recommendation is adopted and the bill is so referred.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Toms, S. B. 858, bill to exempt a certain boundary from special school tax in Henderson County. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 859, bill to provide a burying place for whites residing at Cooleemee. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 860, bill relating to certain deeds made by corporations in this State. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 861, bill to amend the charter of the city of New Bern. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 862, bill to appoint justices of the peace for Boon Hill Township, Johnston County. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 863, bill to amend section 3824 of The Code, relating to the power of the mayor and commissioners to sell corporate property. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Toms, by request, S. B. 864, bill to establish a chain-gang in Hendersonville Township in Henderson County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 866, bill to empower the Commissioners of New Hanover County to issue bonds for road improvement. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Boddie, S. B. 865, bill to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Louisburg to establish a public burying ground. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Bryan, S. B. 867, bill to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the city of Hot Springs to levy a special tax. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 868, bill to incorporate the town of Council in Bladen County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 869, bill to confer police powers upon deputy sheriffs and constables at East Durham and West Durham in Durham County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 871, bill to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at Lakewood Park, Durham County and to prohibit public drunkenness there. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 872, bill for the better support of the public schools of New Hanover County. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 873, bill to re-establish County Line Public School District in the counties of Forsyth and Guilford. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 874, bill to repeal chapter 272, Public Laws of 1903, being an act to amend chapter 17, Volume 2, of The Code, entitled "Entries and Grants." Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 875, bill supplementary to and amendatory of chapter 120, Private Laws of 1903, incorporating the Winston-Stuart Turnpike Company. Referred to Committee on Internal Improvements.

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 876, bill to protect the waters of Brush Creek in the county of Alleghany. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 877, bill to regulate the election of the Board of Education for the county of Watauga. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 878, bill to regulate the election of the Board of Education for Alleghany County. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 879, bill to regulate the election of the Board of Education for the county of Ashe. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 880, bill to protect quail in Cove Creek Township in Watauga County. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 881, bill to amend chapter 17, Private Laws of 1903, so as to extend the corporate limits of the town of Shelmerdine, Pitt County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Senator Gilliam, S. B. 882, bill to amend an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of Leggetts, Edgecombe County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Shaw, S. R. 883, resolution to pay M. C. McKenzie, a wounded ex-Confederate soldier, $4 per day and mileage for his services as Stationery Clerk. Referred to Committee on Rules.

By Senator Stringfield, S. R. 884, joint resolution requesting the Senators and members of Congress from this State to introduce and support an amendment to the pension laws, which shall place upon the pension roll all deserving and

disabled Confederate soldiers. Referred to Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home.

By Senator Williams, S. B. 885, bill to tax the railroads doing business in the State of North Carolina to issue passes to certain officers of the State. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 886, bill to incorporate the Christian Orphanage. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 887, bill to allow the County Commissioners of Bladen County to sell the county farm. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 888, bill to elect the Superintendent of Public Instruction of Iredell County by a vote of the people. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 889, bill to amend chapter 536, Public Laws of 1903, regulating Life Insurance Companies. Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 890, bill to prevent riding or driving of any beast or vehicle on any public road in Guilford County where any work is being done until such road has been opened up for public use. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 891, bill to amend and consolidate the laws relating to the protection of quail in Iredell County.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 892, bill to permit the County Commissioners or Highway Commissioners of Guilford County to gather material to be used on the public roads beyond the limits of said county. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 893, bill to amend chapter 558, Public Laws of 1901, relating to sales for taxes. Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 894, bill to establish within the city of Asheville a special court to be called the Police Court, and to prescribe the jurisdiction thereof. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Alexander from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills are properly engrossed, and they are ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 783, bill to amend the charter of the town of Waynesville.

S. B. 710, bill to repeal section 3, chapter 375, Public Laws of 1899, as to Lexington Township in Davidson County.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Boddie, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 926, S. B. 724, an act to extend the time for rebuilding a mill on Bear Creek, Moore County.

H. B. 973, S. B. 763, an act to amend chapter 462, Public Laws of 1903, relating to depredations by domestic fowls.

H. B. 816, S. B. 495, an act to amend chapter 581, section 1 of the Public Laws of 1899, relative to the public roads of Forsyth County.

H. B. 870, S. B. 713, an act to allow the Board of Commissioners of Hyde County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 909, S. B. 762, an act to amend chapter 184, Public Laws of 1885, concerning the drainage of certain lands in Lincoln County.

H. B. 859, S. B. 714, an act to incorporate the town of Walnut in Madison County.

H. B. 446, S. B. 550, an act to prohibit the placing of sawdust and other waste materials or articles from shingle mills and saw-mills in the South Fork River and its tributaries in Burke County.

H. B. 599, S. B. 646, an act to amend the charter of Alpine Cotton Mills Company and to validate, ratify and confirm all acts, deeds and contracts entered into by and with said corporation in the name of Alpine Cotton Mills.

H. B. 878, S. B. 697, an act to repeal chapter 306 of Public Laws of 1903, relating to Sheriff of Person County.

H. B. 642, S. B. 684, an act to provide for levying a special tax to build an iron bridge across French Broad River at or near Barnard, Madison County.

H. B. 825, S. B. 687, an act to provide sewerage for the city of Monroe.

H. B. 848, S. B. 695, an act to incorporate the Stony Point Church, known as the Free Church, in Salem Chapel Township in Forsyth County, N. C.

H. B. 797, S. B. 694, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Anson County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 933 S. B. 719, an act to authorize the city of Charlotte to issue bonds and provide for the payment of the same.

H. B. 674, S. B. 644, an act to authorize the town of Kings Mountain to issue bonds for electric lights.

H. B. 511, S. B. 663, an act authorizing the County Commissioners of Tyrrell County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 673, S. B. 643, an act to authorize the town of Kings Mountain to issue bonds for street improvements.

H. B. 618, S. B. 683, an act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend the charter of the town of Mount Airy, chapter 62, Private Acts of 1887, as to water supply, electric lights and power plant," ratified March 4, 1903, and to provide for the payment of principal and interest of bonds issued, or to be issued, under said amendatory act.

H. B. 939, S. B. 761, an act to create the office of cotton-weigher for the town of Lillington, Harnett County.

H. B. 1000, S. B. 723, an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds to pay the floating debt.

H. B. 866, S. B. 688, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Camden County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 945, S. B. 517, an act to change the stock law in Mitchell County so as to make it unlawful for stock to run at large in Linville Township.

H. B. 841, S. B. 682, an act to authorize the Aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds.

H. B. 1038, S. B. 600, an act to prevent the throwing, placing, running or dumping of sawdust into the streams of Guilford County.

H. B. 99, S. B. 403, an act to incorporate Commercial and Farmers Bank at Enfield, Halifax County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1037, S. B. 603, an act to amend chapter 109 of the Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 894, S. B. 362, an act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Presbyterian Female College," ratified the twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. 1899.

H. B. 893, S. B. 468, an act to incorporate Linwood Female College in Gaston County.

H. B. 832, S. B. 718, an act to establish graded schools and to improve the streets of the city of Randleman.

H. B. 626, S. B. 181, an act to amend the public road law of Burke County.

H. B. 347, S. B. 136, an act to amend chapter 313 of the Public Laws of 1903, in regard to the terms of the Superior Court of Rockingham County.

H. B. 582, S. B. 649, an act to amend chapter 324 of the Public Laws of 1903, entitled "An act to establish graded schools in the town of Weldon.

H. B. 948, S. B. 561, an act to revise the charter of the town of Gibsonville.

H. B. 897, S. B. 119, an act to amend chapter 382, Public Laws of 1903, providing for the election of trustees of Cross Creek Graded Schools of Cumberland County.

H. B. 725, S. B. 340, an act to allow the stockholders of the "American Cotton Manufacturers Association, Incorporated," to hold their meetings either in or out of the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 942, S. B. 427, an act to establish a graded school in the town of Louisburg.

H. B. 949, S. B. 562, an act to incorporate the Southern Real Estate Company.

H. B. 727, S. B. 458, an act to incorporate the Greensboro Hook and Ladder Company, Number One, of the city of Greensboro, North Carolina.

H. B. 1036, S. B. 656, an act relating to the bird law of Forsyth County.

H. B. 721, S. B. 438, an act authorizing the County Commissioners of New Hanover County to establish a workhouse.

H. B. 1259, S. B. 786, an act to incorporate the Tallassee Power Company.

H. B. 941, S. B. 393, an act to establish a graded school at Youngsville, Franklin County.

H. B. 620, S. B. 339, an act to incorporate the Citizens Bank, Edenton, N. C.

H. B. 953, S. B. 616, an act to incorporate the Great Pee Dee Electric and Power Company.

H. R. 1213, S. R. 794, joint resolution in regard to the Western North Carolina Railroad construction bonds.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 878, S. B. 811, bill to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Marshall. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 796, S. B. 812, bill to repeal chapter 81, Public Laws 1897, and chapter 121, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the hunting of deer in Hyde County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 863, S. B. 813, bill to amend joint resolution ratified February 3, 1875, relative to school property in Murphy, Cherokee County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1120, S. B. 814, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor within two miles of Spring Hope Graded School building. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1115, S. B. 815, bill relating to the bird law in Catawba County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1113, S. B. 816, bill to protect game in Burke County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 818, S. B. 518, bill to incorporate the Bank of Dallas. Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

H. B. 1097, S. B. 817, bill to amend the charter of the town of Spring Hope. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1060, S. B. 818, to amend chapter 389 of the Public Laws of 1901, authorizing commissioners to change township lines. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 911, S. B. 819, bill to amend chapter 48 of Public

Laws of 1903, to provide for the better working of the public roads in Cleveland County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1162, S. B. 820, bill to repeal the charter of the town of Olive in Iredell County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 924, S. B. 821, bill to amend the charter of the Commercial and Farmers Bank of Raleigh. Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

H. B. 729, S. B. 247, bill to regulate conditional pardons. For concurrence in House amendment. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 977, S. B. 822, bill to allow the Raleigh Banking and Trust Company time to organize. Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

H. B. 886, S. B. 823, bill to incorporate the Missionary Board of the Krimmer Mennonite Brethren Church. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 1026, S. B. 824, bill to provide for the establishment and enlargement of libraries in the public schools of the rural districts. Referred to the Committee on Libraries.

H. B. 1167, S. B. 825, bill to prevent obstructing of Peachtree Creek, Cherokee County, by felling trees or brush therein. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 912, S. B. 826, bill to amend chapter 417, Public Laws of 1899, providing for an extension of time for collecting taxes to build a new jail in Alexander County. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 915, S. B. 855, bill to incorporate Andrews School District Number Four in Cherokee County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1017, S. B. 827, bill to incorporate the Graham County Railroad Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 976, S. B. 828, bill to incorporate the Belhaven Graded School District in Beaufort County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1147, S. B. 829, bill to create the township of Gilky in Rutherford County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1025, S. B. 830, bill to increase the powers of the Thomasville Loan and Trust Company and to authorize it to act as guardian, executor, administrator, trustee, receiver or depository. Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

H. B. 972, S. B. 831, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the county of Jackson to levy special taxes for the purpose of building iron bridges and for other purposes. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 913, S. B. 832, bill to incorporate the Asheville and Burnville Railroad Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

H. B. 1014, S. B. 833, bill to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in the city of Raleigh and to punish fraud committed thereat. Referred to the Committee on Election Laws.

H. B. 547, S. B. 834, bill to amend the charter of the town of Teacheys in Duplin County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 862, S. B. 835, bill to improve the public roads of Smithville Township, Brunswick County, providing for issuing bonds for same. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 222, S. B. 836, bill for the regulating the time for holding the Superior Courts of Franklin County. Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

H. R. 1212, S. R. 790, resolution of joint subcommittee

on Deaf and Dumb which visited the institution at Morganton. Placed upon the Calendar for concurrence.

H. B. 992, S. B. 837, bill to authorize and empower the Board of Education of Buncombe County to pay certain indebtedness. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1013, S. B. 838, bill to amend chapter 550, Public Laws of 1889, relating to grades in public schools of Raleigh. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 882, S. B. 839, bill for the protection of perch during the bedding season. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 880, S. B. 840, bill to incorporate Oak Grove Cemetery Company in Robeson County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 867, S. B. 841, bill to amend section 5 of chapter 357, Private Laws of 1903, in relation to the Bank of Lillington, Harnett County. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

H. B. 705, S. B. 842, bill providing for additional term of the Superior Court of Rockingham County. Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.

H. B. 718, S. B. 843, bill to amend chapter 254 of the Private Laws of 1903. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 764, S. B. 844, bill to prevent fishing in the waters of Cecil and Cataloocchee Township in Haywood County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 744, S. B. 845, bill requiring certificates of survey attached to grants to be recorded. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 743, S. B. 846, bill requiring county surveyors to keep a record of all surveys of entries of land, and providing that such records may be read in evidence in any action or proceeding as on other records. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1009, S. B. 847, bill to amend chapter 276, Public Laws 1903, to define the location of certain church in Catawba County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1010, S. B. 848, bill amendatory of chapter 310 of the Public Laws of 1897, so as to forbid the building of barbed wire fences along roads in Yancey County without the placing of boards on said fence. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 963, S. B. 850, bill to ratify, confirm and amend the charter of the Asheville Auditorium Company. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 414, S. B. 851, bill to extend and limit the time for the delivery of the bonds of Macon County to the Blue Ridge and Atlantic Railway Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

H. B. 979, S. B. 852, bill for the relief of Mrs. Lizzie Wilford, formerly a school-teacher in District No. 4, for whites, in Tallyho Township, Granville County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 583, S. B. 853, bill to fix the salaries for the public officers of Guilford County and to increase the road fund. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 581, S. B. 854, bill to amend the charter of the Pamlico and Oriental Railway Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

H. B. 691, S. B. 856, bill to revise the navigation and pilotage laws of the Cape Fear River and bar. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 251, S. B. 857, bill to regulate the trial of capital cases by giving to the State and defendant ten peremptory challenges and providing that the State shall stand no jurors to the foot of the panel. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. R. 1274, S. R. 870, resolution inviting General Fitzhugh Lee to address the General Assembly. The resolution is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 622, S. B. 342, bill for the better protection of clams in the waters of New Hanover County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives. The bill is placed upon the Calendar for concurrence.

H. B. 694, S. B. 251, bill to amend the general road law and extend its provisions to Vance County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives. The bill is placed upon the Calendar for concurrence.

H. B. 998, S. B. 849, bill to incorporate the Faison Male Academy of Faison, Duplin County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. R. 1274, S. R. 870, joint resolution inviting General Fitzhugh Lee to address the General Assembly, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 394, bill to amend chapter 275, Public Laws of 1903, revising the banking laws, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

Senator Scales offers amendments which are adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 70, S. B. 204, bill to increase the pay of jurors in Halifax and Northampton Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 657, bill for the better support of the public schools in New Hanover County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 681, bill to ratify, confirm and amend the charter of the Asheville Auditorium Company, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 509, bill to amend chapter 115, Private Laws of 1899, to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Greenville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. R. 1212, S. R. 790, resolution to pay expenses of joint committee on deaf and dumb which visited the Deaf and Dumb Institution at Morganton, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 622, S. B. 342, bill for the better protection of clams in New Hanover County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 818, S. B. 518, bill to incorporate the Bank of Dallas, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 606, S. B. 503, bill to better regulate fishing in Currituck Sound, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 931, S. B. 668, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Currituck County to use surplus of special taxes for general county purposes and to withdraw authority to levy further special taxes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 848, S. B. 672, bill to regulate the pay of County Surveyor in Rowan County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 865, bill to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Louisburg to establish a public burying ground, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 872, bill for the better support of the public schools of New Hanover County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 517, S. B. 404, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Sampson County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay the indebtedness created by building a court-house, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 836, S. B. 767, bill to authorize the Mayor and Commissioners of the town of Beaufort to issue bonds for

the purchase of real estate for a site for a hotel in said town, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 907, S. B. 787, bill to amend the charter of the town of Orrum in Robeson County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 865, S. B. 717, bill to prevent live stock from running at large in a certain territory in Columbus County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 677, S. B. 642, bill to consolidate certain stock law districts in McDowell County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 569, S. B. 625, bill to incorporate the town of Salemburg in Sampson County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 936, S. B. 768, bill to create stock law territory in a part of Nails Creek Township, Harnett County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Fleming, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Moore, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 778, bill to amend the charter of the town of Gastonia, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 771, bill to amend chapter 14 of the Private Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 371, Private Laws of 1903, amending the charter of the town of Hamlet, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Moore, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 677, bill to establish a graded school at Robersonville, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 803, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Southern Pines, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

S. B. 776, bill to build certain iron bridges in Henderson County and to apply certain road funds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

H. B. 975, S. B. 769, bill to amend the charter of the town of Brevard in Transylvania County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

H. B. 662, S. B. 645, bill to ratify all the acts and proceedings relating to the authorizing and issuance of bonds for the town of Lexington, etc., upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—33.

S. B. 779, bill to submit to the qualified voters of Buncombe County the question of issuing bonds for the macadamizing the public roads of said county and to create a highway commission therein, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 31, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Pearson, Ricks, Scales, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Toms, Turner, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—31.

S. B. 859, bill to provide a burial place for whites residing at Cooleemee, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S B. 792, bill to amend chapter 122, Private Laws of 1903, so as to provide a permanent light and water commission for the town of Greenville, upon second reading.

Senator Fleming moves to amend:

Amend by striking out all from and after the word "be" in line 3 of section 2, down to the word "fifty" in line 4 of said section.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and it is ordered

that the amendment be engrossed and the bill sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 274, bill to amend chapter 877, Public Laws of 1901, to prevent fire waste, upon second reading.

Senator Scales offers amendments, which are adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 750, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Mitchell County to build bridges across Toe River, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 782, bill authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Waynesville Township in Haywood County to pay certain funds to the Aldermen of the town of Waynesville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 107, bill to amend section 16, chapter 16, Private Laws of 1903, relating to Charlotte Carnegie Library, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Coxe, the Senate adjourns until 10:30 o'clock to-morrow.

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## FORTY-SECOND DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 21, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. A. H. Moment of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Zollicoffer, leave of absence is granted Senator Ward until to-morrow.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, it is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives recalling H. B. 902, S. B. 597, bill to amend the charter of the town of Edenton, N. C., in order that it might be placed on its several readings by roll-call in the Senate.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Taylor, H. B. 1167, S. B. 825, bill to prevent the obstruction of Peachtree Creek in Cherokee County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1113, S. B. 816, bill to protect game in Burke County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 770, S. B. 759, bill to prevent felling of timber and depositing dead bodies in the streams of Ashe County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turner, H. B. 148, S. B. 209, bill to prevent riding bicycles on the sidewalks of the town of Roper. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Turner, H. B. 1009, S. B. 847, bill to amend chapter 276, Public Laws of 1903, to define the location of a certain church in Catawba County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 397, S. B. 690, bill forbidding the sale of liquor within two miles of any church or school-house in Waccamaw Township in Columbus County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 1115, S. B. 815, bill relating to the bird law in Catawba County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 528, bill to repeal chapter 456, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the protection of quail in Iredell County. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

Upon request, Senator Long of Iredell, is permitted to withdraw the bill from the further consideration of the Senate.

S. B. 748, bill to repeal chapter 141, Private Laws of 1903, to provide a dispensary for the town of Creswell and township of Scuppernong in the county of Washington, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 880, bill to protect quail in Cove Creek Township in Watauga County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 876, bill to protect the waters of Brush Creek in the county of Alleghany, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 880, S. B. 840, bill to incorporate the Oak Grove Cemetery Company in Robeson County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, H. B. 796, S. B. 812, bill to repeal chapter 81, Laws of 1897, and chapter 121, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the hunting of deer in Hyde County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 663, S. B. 568, bill to regulate the sale of seed cotton in Mecklenburg County. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

H. B. 764, S. B. 844, bill to prevent fishing in the waters of Cecil and Cataloochee Townships in Haywood County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, H. B. 1010, S. B. 848, bill amendatory of chapter 310, Laws of 1897, so as to forbid the building of barbed wire fences along the roads in Yancey County, etc.

The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Turner, S. B. 891, bill to amend and consolidate the laws relating to the protection of quail in Iredell County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Finance:

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 615, bill to provide a State Purchasing Agent, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 812, S. B. 826, bill to amend chapter 467, Public Laws of 1899, providing for an extension of time for collecting taxes to build new jail in Alexander County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 780, bill to relieve S. J. Black, ex-Sheriff of Mitchell County. The committee reports a substitute and recommends the passage of the substitute bill.

From the Committee on Insurance:

By Senator Eller, S. B. 153, bill to provide fire-escapes and protect human life. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Federal Relations:

By Senator Scales, S. R. 486, resolution memorializing the United States Senate to prohibit interstate commerce in adulterated foods, etc., with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Wright, S. B. 698, bill to amend charter of the A. and N. C. Railroad Company, with an unfavorable report.

Senator Foushee files a minority report recommending the passage of the bill.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, the bill is re-referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 805, bill to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways in Pasquotank County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Vann, S. B. 867, bill to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the city of Hot Springs to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 800, bill to amend charter of the town of Laurinburg and allow the commissioners of said town to issue bonds to pay outstanding indebtedness of said town. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

H. B. 978, S. B. 811, bill to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Marshall, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Rules:

By Senator Webb, resolution authorizing appointment of Clerk for the Committee on Justices of the Peace. The committee recommends that the Clerk of the Finance Committee also act as Clerk of the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

From the Committee on Banks and Currency:

By Senator Bryan, H. B. 344, S. B. 422, bill to amend chapter 325, Private Laws of 1903, changing the name of the Enterprise Saving and Loan Company to Waxhaw Banking and Trust Company, with favorable recommendation.

## ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Coxe, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills and resolutions are correctly engrossed, and they are ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 792, bill to amend chapter 122, Private Laws of 1903, so as to provide a permanent light and water commission for the town of Greenville.

S. B. 394, bill to amend chapter 275, Public Laws of 1903, being an act revising the banking laws.

S. B. 681, bill to ratify, confirm and amend the charter of the Asheville Auditorium Company.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Wright, S. B. 961, bill to provide a credit system for Rowan County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 962, bill to publish and distribute the corporation law of North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Printing.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 963, bill to authorize the city of Fayetteville to enlarge its electric light plant. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 964, bill to submit to the qualified voters of the city of Asheville the question of compulsory education for said city. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 965, bill to amend charter of the city of Fayetteville. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 966, bill to amend chapter 348, Public Laws of 1899, to regulate toll rates on Mulberry Gap road. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 967, bill to establish boundary line of Alleghany County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 968, bill to prevent domestic fowls running at large in the city of Fayetteville. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 969, bill relating to

liens of liverymen and others. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Aaron, by request, S. B. 970, bill to amend chapter 297, Private Laws of 1901, to amend charter of the Atlantic and Northwestern Railway Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Bryan, S. B. 971, bill to validate proof and registration of certain deeds and conveyances of land. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Fleming, by request, S. B. 972, bill to amend charter of the town of Farmville. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 973, bill to amend section 1, chapter 154, Public Laws of 1897, relating to sale of bonds of private individuals. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Webb, by request, S. B. 974, bill to amend the Constitution of North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Senator Shaw, S. B. 975, bill to limit terms of office of county officers of Robeson County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 976, bill to amend chapter 4, Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 435, Public Laws of 1903, and other laws relating to the public school law. Referred to Committee on Education.

Senator Vann introduces the following resolution:

The Senate of North Carolina being moved with unspeakable sympathy with Hon. S. M. Beasley, our friend and colleague, now in session, do resolve:

Section 1. That we have heard with deep and sincere regret of the great misfortune that has befallen our friend in the mysterious disappearance of his little eight-year-old son.

SEC. 2. That our hearts go out to him and his family in tender and abiding sympathy in their great distress and sorrow.

SEC. 3. That the resolution be spread upon the minutes of this body and a copy sent to our friend and colleague.

The resolution is adopted by a rising vote of all the Senators present.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 686, S. B. 230, bill to provide for holding primary elections in Buncombe County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 694, S. B. 251, bill to amend the general road law, and extend its provisions to Vance County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1173, S. B. 944, bill for the relief of A. P. Borders, a school-teacher of Gaston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 886, bill to incorporate the Christian Orphanage, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1167, S. B. 825, bill to prevent obstruction of Peachtree Creek in Cherokee County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1113, S. B. 816, bill to protect game in Burke County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 770, S. B. 759, bill to prevent felling of timber and depositing dead bodies in the streams of Ashe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 148, S. B. 209, bill to prevent riding bicycles on the sidewalks in the town of Roper, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in amendment by the Senate.

H. B. 1009, S. B. 847, bill to amend chapter 276, Public Laws of 1903, to define the location of a certain church in Catawba County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 397, S. B. 690, bill forbidding the sale of liquor within two miles of any church or school-house in Waccamaw Township, Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1115, S. B. 815, bill relating to the bird law in Catawba County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 880, bill to protect quail in Cove Creek Township in Watauga County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 876, bill to protect the waters of Brush Creek in the county of Alleghany, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 880, S. B. 840, bill to incorporate the Oak Grove Cemetery Company in Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 796, S. B. 812, bill to repeal chapter 81, Laws of 1897, and chapter 121, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the hunting of deer in Hyde County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 663, S. B. 568, bill to regulate the sale of seed cotton in Mecklenburg County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in amendment by the Senate.

H. B. 764, S. B. 844, bill to prevent fishing in the waters of Cecil and Cataloochee Townships in Haywood County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1010, S. B. 848, bill amendatory of chapter 310, Laws of 1897, so as to forbid the building of barbed wire fences along the roads in Yancey County, etc., upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in amendment by the Senate.

S. B. 891, bill to amend and consolidate the laws relating to the protection of quail in Iredell County, upon second reading.

Senator Turner moves to amend:

Where the bill reads "Iredell County" let it read "Iredell and Catawba Counties," and where it reads "said county" let it read "said counties."

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and it is ordered that the amendment be engrossed and the bill sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 780, bill for the relief of S. J. Black, ex-Sheriff of Mitchell County, upon second reading.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 153, bill to provide fire-escapes and protect human life, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. R. 486, resolution memorializing the United States Senate to prohibit interstate commerce in adulterated foods, etc., upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 422, H. B. 344, bill to amend chapter 325, Private Laws of 1903, changing the name of the Enterprise Saving and Loan Company to the Waxhaw Banking and Trust Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting H. B. 902, S. B. 597, bill to amend the charter of the town of Edenton, N. C., which is read the first time and placed upon the Calendar.

The President announces the appointment of Senators Zollicoffer and Scales as committee on the part of the Senate to consider the South Dakota bond matter.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Messages are received from the House of Representatives, transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 839, S. B. 895, bill to regulate the election of Commissioners for Rutherford County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 200, S. B. 896, bill to pay Mrs. Mary S. Gillet $40.50 due her from direct land tax, refunded to the State by the Federal government by virtue of chapter 404 of the Public Laws of 1895. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 668, S. B. 897, bill to amend section 1006 of The Code, relative to buying cotton at night. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 734, S. B. 898, bill to amend section 769 of The Code, as applied to Cumberland County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 905, S. B. 899, bill to incorporate Leaksville-Spray Academy in the town of Leaksville, Rockingham County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 969, S. B. 900, bill to prohibit hunting in Chowan County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 971, S. B. 901, bill for the relief of M. H. Barnes, a public school-teacher of Chatham County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 986, S. B. 902, bill to amend section 3410 of Volume II of The Code, providing for fish-ways over dams in Stony Fork Creek, Wilkes County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 996, S. B. 903, bill to regulate the hunting of opossum in the counties of Lincoln, Catawba and Harnett. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1117, S. B. 904, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in the town of Yadkinville in Yadkin County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 838, S. B. 905, bill for the relief of James D. Justice, former Tax Collector of the town of Rutherfordton. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 982, S. B. 906, bill to amend school law relative to Friendship Graded School in Alamance County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 916, S. B. 907, bill to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquor near Goldston High School in Chatham County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 910, S. B. 908, bill to amend the charter of the town of Kelford, prohibiting manufacture and sale of liquors, Private Laws of 1893, chapter 27. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 871, S. B. 909, bill to amend chapter 644, Public Laws of 1901, in regard to working convicts on public roads in Wilkes County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 855, S. B. 910, bill to protect wood and timber lands from fire. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1085, S. B. 911, bill for the relief of the Commissioners of the town of Blowing Rock, Watauga County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1083, S. B. 912, bill to prevent fast driving over the Clarendon bridge at Fayetteville, Cumberland County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1080, S. B. 913, bill to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Friendship Church in

Harnett County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1071, S. B. 914, bill to prevent persons under eighteen years of age discharging fire-arms between Spring Point and Jackson Point on the Island of Ocracoke, Hyde County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1016, S. B. 915, bill to authorize the paying of road supervisors and overseers in Cherokee County for making reports. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1194, S. B. 916, bill to incorporate New River Baptist Church in Ashe County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1170, S. B. 917, bill to prevent the obstruction of the run of Vine Swamp, Jones County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1110, S. B. 918, bill to amend section 6, of chapter 329 of the Public Laws of 1901, by adding the words Scotland County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 802, S. B. 919, bill to regulate the catching of fish in the waters of South Creek, Bond Creek and their tributaries in Beaufort County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 923, S. B. 920, bill to amend section 3320 of The Code, relating to the powers and duties of the Governor. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 709, S. B. 921, bill for the relief of Alexander Baker, former Superintendent of Public Instruction for Granville County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 708, S. B. 922, bill to protect church gatherings in Hertford, Bertie and Northampton Counties. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 965, S. B. 923, bill to amend chapter 43, Laws 1893, by striking out Yancey County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 959, S. B. 924, bill for the relief of Roena Moore, a school-teacher of Durham County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 906, S. B. 925, bill to protect fish in Moccasin Creek, Johnston County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 872, S. B. 926, bill to provide for a special tax election in Eureka Public School District in Moore County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1057, S. B. 927, bill to prevent the sale of wine and cider within a mile and a half of St. Matthew's Church, Sampson County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1020, S. B. 928, bill to amend section 2017 of The Code, so as to allow the overseers to work the road ten instead of six days in Trailville Township, Currituck County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 917, S. B. 929, bill for the relief of certain witnesses in Chatham County. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1019, S. B. 930, bill to prevent the obstruction of Slade Swamp and Smith's Mill Race in Columbus County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1069, S. B. 931, bill to incorporate the town of Haywood in Chatham County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1065, S. B. 932, bill for the relief of J. F. McCubbins, Clerk of Superior Court of Rowan County. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1064, S. B. 933, bill to better protect the public travel in Gates County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1059, S. B. 934, bill to repeal chapter 814 of the Public Laws of 1903, so as to provide for stock law in certain portions of Mitchell County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 615, S. B. 935, bill to amend the charter of the Merchants and Farmers Bank of Columbia. Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

H. B. 490, S. B. 936, bill for the further relief of E. L. Auberry. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1118, S. B. 937, bill authorizing the Commissioners of Yadkin County to use surplus county funds to improve the court-house and jail. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 676, S. B. 938, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of liquors in the township of Littleton, except by vote of the people. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1131, S. B. 939, bill to make a portion of Pamlico County a stock law territory. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 842, S. B. 940, bill to amend chapter 240, Private Laws of 1899, relating to the charter of the Trans-Appalachian Railway System. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

H. B. 786, S. B. 941, bill to establish the Mooresville Graded School District. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1111, S. B. 942, bill to establish a stock law around the town of Winterville, Pitt County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 603, S. B. 943, bill to provide for a fence law for part of Scotland County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1173, S. B. 944, bill for the relief of A. P. Bordens, school-teacher. The bill is placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 997, S. B. 945, bill to amend the charter of the town of Magnolia in Duplin County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1136, S. B. 946, bill to authorize the town of Lenoir in Caldwell County to issue bonds. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1169, S. B. 947, bill to establish graded school in the town of Aulander, Bertie County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 876, S. B. 948, bill to authorize the city of Monroe to issue bonds to fund its current indebtedness. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1174, S. B. 949, bill to provide for the payment of the railroad bonds of Cleveland County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1161, S. B. 950, bill to amend the charter of the city of Salisbury. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1109, S. B. 951, bill to incorporate the Cliffside Railroad Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1243, S. B. 952, bill to amend the road law of Buncombe County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1124, S. B. 953, bill to permit the town of Dunn, Harnett County, to issue bonds. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1088, S. B. 954, bill to enable the town of Southern Pines to issue bonds to establish a sewerage system and to enlarge and improve its water-works system and for other public improvements. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 937, S. B. 955, bill to fix and regulate the time for holding the Superior Courts for the Sixth Judicial District. Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

H. B. 857, S. B. 956, bill to regulate the construction and improvement of the public roads of the county of Martin. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1193, S. B. 957, bill to provide for the working of convicts on the public highways of McDowell County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1176, S. B. 958, bill to protect the squirrels of Pender County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1116, S. B. 959, bill to form a special public school district in Cumberland County for the white race to be known as Rockfish District. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1193, S. B. 960, bill to prevent the hunting of quail and partridges in Franklin Township, Randolph County, without permission. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 686, S. B. 230, bill to provide for holding of primary elections within Buncombe County and city of Asheville, for concurrence in House amendment. Placed upon the Calendar.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolution properly enrolled and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 1148, S. B. 614, an act to amend charter of the city of Asheville and to forbid the establishment of cemeteries, the extension of the areas of existing cemeteries, or the use for cemetery purposes of any land not now so used, except by permission of the joint health board of said city, and to prescribe conditions upon which such permission may be granted.

H. B. 943, S. B. 466, an act amendatory of the charter of Guilford College.

H. B. 1104, S. B. 619, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 1105, S. B. 676, an act to incorporate the town of Alexander, Buncombe County.

H. B. 569, S. B. 625, an act to incorporate the town of Salemburg in Sampson County.

H. B. 517, S. B. 404, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Sampson County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay the indebtedness created by building a court-house.

H. B. 70, S. B. 204, an act to increase the pay of jurors in Halifax and Northampton Counties.

H. B. 677, S. B. 642, an act to consolidate certain stock law districts in McDowell County.

H. B. 1150, S. B. 636, an act to incorporate Greensboro Female College.

H. B. 836, S. B. 767, an act authorizing the Mayor and Commissioners of the town of Beaufort, the county of Carteret, to issue bonds for the purchase of real estate for a site for a hotel in said town.

H. B. 931, S. B. 668, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Currituck County to use surplus of special taxes for general county purposes and to withdraw authority to levy further special taxes.

H. B. 822, S. B. 228, an act to amend chapter 353, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the working of the public roads of Cumberland County and to provide additional revenue therefor.

H. B. 142, S. B. 220, an act for working the public roads in Hertford County.

H. B. 940, S. B. 202, an act to extend and define the boundaries of the graded school district of the Greenville Graded Schools and to amend chapter 106 of the Private Laws of 1903, establishing said schools.

H. B. 954, S. B. 617, an act to regulate elections in Buncombe County.

H. B. 723, S. B. 426, an act to amend the charter of the town of Raeford in Cumberland and Robeson Counties.

H. B. 936, S. B. 768, an act to establish a stock law for a part of Neill's Creek Township in Harnett County.

H. B. 1040, S. B. 594, an act to amend chapter 187, Laws of 1903, relative to public roads in Madison County.

H. B. 844, S. B. 672, an act to regulate the pay of County Surveyors in Rowan County.

H. B. 907, S. B. 787, an act to amend the charter of the town of Orrum in Robeson County.

H. B. 535, S. B. 472, an act to incorporate the town of Andrews in Cherokee County.

H. B. 1200, S. B. 631, an act to incorporate the Edgecombe Railway Company.

H. B. 1041, S. B. 599, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Gaston County to issue bonds in the sum of three hundred thousand dollars to build, macadamize and improve the public roads of said county.

H. B. 622, S. B. 342, an act for the better protection of clams in the waters of New Hanover County.

H. B. 818, S. B. 518, an act to incorporate the Bank of Dallas.

H. R. 1212, S. R. 790, resolution to pay expenses of Joint Subcommittee on Deaf and Dumb which visited the institution at Morganton.

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

H. B. 975, S. B. 769, bill to amend the charter of the town of Brevard, Transylvania County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller,

Moore, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Shaw, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 662, S. B. 645, bill relating to the issuance of bonds for the town of Lexington, etc., upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, McCulloch, McLean, Pearson, Scales, Sinclair, Shaw, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 803, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Southern Pines, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 779, bill to submit to the qualified voters of Buncombe County the question of issuing bonds for macadamizing the public roads of said county and to create a highway commission therein, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 776, bill to build certain iron bridges in Henderson County and to apply certain road funds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 978, S. B. 811, bill to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Marshall, Madison County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

H. B. 912, S. B. 826, bill providing for an extension of time for collecting taxes to build a new jail in Alexander County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

S. B. 39, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Pitt County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

S. B. 867, bill to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the city of Hot Springs to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

S. B. 805, bill to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways in Pasquotank County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

S. B. 596, H. B. 902, bill to amend charter of the town of Edenton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

S. B. 800, bill to amend the charter of the town of Laurinburg and to allow the commissioners of said town to issue bonds for the payment of the outstanding indebtedness of the said town for the electric light plant and to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Taylor, Thorne,

Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

Upon motion of Senator Boddie, the Senate adjourns until 10:30 o'clock to-morrow.

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## FORTY-THIRD DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 22, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. M. M. Marshall of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Turrentine, leave of absence is granted Senator Foushee.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 804, bill to amend chapter 150, Public Laws of 1883, relative to Durham County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, H. B. 918, S. B. 729, bill for the protection of birds and other game in Mineral Springs Township, Richmond County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 968, bill to prevent domestic fowls running at large in the city of Fayetteville in Cumberland County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 774, bill to regulate the killing of quail and other game birds in Buncombe County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 996, S. B. 903, bill to regulate the hunting of opossum in the counties of Lincoln, Catawba and Harnett, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 343, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors within three miles of certain churches in Alamance. The committee recommend that as the provisions of this bill are covered by the Watts Law, it do not pass.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Turrentine, H. B. 59, S. B. 329, bill to abolish the office of Standard-keeper in Currituck County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 278, S. B. 757, bill to amend charter of the town of Hillsboro, providing for the regulation of the liquor traffic in certain contingencies, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 853, S. B. 686, bill to amend chapter 174, Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 219, Public Laws of 1885, concerning the stock law of Buncombe County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1176, S. B. 958, bill to protect squirrels in Pender County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 1193, S. B. 960, bill to prevent hunting of quail and partridges in Franklinville Township, Randolph County, without permission, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 961, bill to provide a credit system for Rowan County. The committee recommends that the bill be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted, and the bill is so referred.

H. B. 603, S. B. 943, bill to provide a fence law for a certain part of Scotland County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 676, S. B. 938, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of liquors in the town of Littleton,

N. C., except by a vote of the people, with favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Sinclair, H. B. 362, S. B. 399, bill to empower executors and administrators, administrators with will annexed, executors *d. b. n.*, with will annexed, to sell land for the benefit of the estate they represent. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 689, S. B. 586, bill to pay witnesses attending courts of justices of the peace in Franklin County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 505, bill to punish barratry, with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Coxe, the bill is made a special order for 12 o'clock to-morrow.

S. B. 111, bill to impose penalty upon telegraph companies for delay in and failure to deliver messages. The committee reports the bill and substitute unfavorably.

The bill and substitute are tabled.

H. B. 540, S. B. 449, bill to amend section 363 of The Code, with reference to serving process of attachment, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, H. B. 501, S. B. 549, bill concerning Tucker's Grove Camp-ground Encampment, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Banks and Currency:

By Senator Watkins, H. B. 1025, S. B. 830, bill to increase the powers of the Thomasville Loan and Trust Company, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 924, S. B. 821, bill to amend charter of the Commercial and Farmers Bank of Raleigh, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 977, S. B. 822, bill to allow the Raleigh Banking and Trust Company time to organize, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 867, S. B. 841, bill to amend section 5, chapter 357, Private Laws of 1903, in relation to the Bank of Lillington in Harnett County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 615, S. B. 935, bill to amend charter of the Merchants and Farmers Bank of Columbia, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Eller, S. B. 735, bill to incorporate the Winston-High Point Interurban Railway Company. The committee recommends that the bill be referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted, and the bill is so referred.

From the Finance Committee:

By Senator Webb, S. B. 893, bill to amend chapter 558, Public Laws of 1901, relating to sale for taxes. The committee reports a substitute, and recommends its passage.

From the Committee on Fish and Fisheries:

By Senator Turner, H. B. 234, S. B. 451, bill to repeal chapter 627, Public Laws of 1903, relative to dumping sawdust in the streams of No. 11 Township, Madison County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 323, S. B. 419, bill to amend chapter 312, Public Laws of 1899, relative to killing fish with dynamite, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 515, S. B. 587, bill to prevent fishing with nets and seines in Stony Creek in Hertford County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 986, S. B. 902, bill to amend section 3410, Volume II, of The Code, to provide fish-way over dams in Stony Fork Creek in Wilkes County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 644, S. B. 531, bill to prohibit fishing in the millpond of W. K. Phillips in Wake and Franklin Counties, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 380, S. B. 540, bill relative to catching fish in Cherokee County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 519, S. B. 382, bill to prohibit the shooting, killing or netting of fish in Goodwin's mill-pond, Perquimans County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 533, S. B. 378, bill to protect fish in Robeson County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 559, S. B. 402, bill to repeal chapter 575, Public Laws of 1903, relating to seining in Little River in Marks' Creek and Little River Townships in Wake County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 882, S. B. 839, bill for the protection of perch during bedding season, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 802, S. B. 919, bill to regulate catching fish in the waters of South Creek, Broad Creek and their tributaries, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 261, S. B. 361, bill to prevent hedging fish in the waters of Carteret County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 460, S. B. 379, bill to protect fish in White's mill-pond in Halifax County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 474, S. B. 536, bill to prevent catching of fish in the waters of Forney's and Hazel Creeks in Swain County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 775, bill to require establishment and maintenance of fish-ways in certain streams in Buncombe County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 658, S. B. 535, bill for the protection of fish in the waters of Frying Pan in Tyrrell County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Moore, H. B. 1243, S. B. 952, bill to amend the road law of Buncombe County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1016, S. B. 915, bill to authorize paying road supervisors and overseers in Cherokee County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 871, S. B. 909, bill to amend chapter 644, Public Laws of 1901, in regard to working convicts on the public roads of Wilkes County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Miller, H. B. 857, S. B. 956, bill to regulate the construction and improvement of the public roads of Martin County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Miller, S. B. 890, bill to prevent riding or driving of any beast or vehicle on any public road in Guilford County where any work is being done until such road has been opened up for public use, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 862, S. B. 835, bill to improve the public roads of Smithville Township in Brunswick County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 609, S. B. 788, bill to levy special tax in Wilkes County for purpose of building bridges across the Yadkin River, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1020, S. B. 928, bill to amend section 2017 of The Code, so as to allow overseers to work the road ten instead of six days in Fruitville Township, Currituck County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 911, S. B. 819, bill to amend chapter 48, Public Laws of 1903, to provide for the better working of public roads and highways of Cleveland County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 611, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Vance County to issue bonds for road purposes, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 892, bill to permit County Commissioners or Highway Commissioners of Guilford County to gather material to be used on public roads beyond the limits of said county, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1144, S. B. 957, bill to provide for working convicts on the public highways of McDowell County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 1064, S. B. 933, bill to better protect public travel in Gates County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 242, S. B. 662, bill to provide for the erection of a bridge across the Catawba River between Burke and Caldwell Counties, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 792, S. B. 592, bill to authorize the Aldermen of the city of New Bern to sell the waterworks and electric light plant, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1085, S. B. 911, bill for the relief of the Commissioners of the town of Blowing Rock, in Watauga County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1097, S. B. 817, bill to amend charter of the town of Spring Hope, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 868, bill to incorporate the town of Council in Bladen County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 583, S. B. 853, bill to fix salaries of county officers in Guilford County and to increase road fund, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 881, bill to amend chapter 17, Private Laws of 1903, so as to extend the corporate limits of the town of Shelmerdine in Pitt County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 876, S. B. 948, bill to authorize the city of Monroe to issue bonds to fund its current indebtedness, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 1147, S. B. 829, bill to create township of Gilkie in Rutherford County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 967, bill to establish boundary line of Alleghany County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 1162, S. B. 820, bill to repeal charter of the town of Olin in Iredell County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 864, bill to establish chain-gang in Hendersonville Township, Henderson County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Webb, H. B. 1088, S. B. 954, bill to enable the town of Southern Pines to issue bonds to establish a sewerage system and to enlarge and improve the water-works system, and for other purposes.

By Senator Webb, H. B. 1124, S. B. 953, bill to permit the town of Dunn in Harnett County to issue bonds, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1174, S. B. 949, bill to provide for the payment of the railroad bonds of Cleveland County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 539, S. B. 895, bill to regulate the election of Commissioners of Rutherford County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 795, bill to restrict the incurring of debts by municipalities. The committee recommends that the bill be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted, and the bill is so referred.

H. B. 734, S. B. 898, bill to amend section 1727 of The Code, as applied to Cumberland County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 972, bill to amend charter of the town of Farmville, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, H. B. 997, S. B. 945, bill to amend charter of the town of Magnolia, Duplin County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 681, S. B. 765, bill to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1883, and chapter 123, Private Laws of 1889, amending, revising and consolidating the charter of the town of Franklin in Macon County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 972, S. B. 831, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the county of Jackson to levy a special tax for the purpose of building iron bridges, etc., with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 871, bill to confer police powers on depnty sheriffs and constables at Lakewood Park, Durham County, and to prevent public drunkenness there, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 869, bill to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at East Durham and West Durham in Durham County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 882, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of Leggetts in Edgecombe County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 965, S. B. 923, bill to amend chapter 43, Public Laws of 1903, by striking out Yancey County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1069, S. B. 931, bill to incorporate the town of Haywood in Chatham County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 975, bill to limit terms of office of County officers of Robeson County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1083, S. B. 912, bill to prevent fast driving over Clarendon bridge at Fayetteville in Cumberland County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 547, S. B. 834, bill to amend charter of the town of Teacheys in Duplin County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 910, S. B. 908, bill to amend charter of the town of Kelford, prohibiting manufacture and sale of liquor, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1136, S. B. 946, bill to authorize the town of Lenoir in Caldwell County to issue bonds, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 887, bill to allow the County Commissioners of

Bladen County to sell the county farm, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 963, bill to authorize the city of Fayetteville to enlarge its electric light plant and fund its floating indebtedness. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

S. B. 965, bill to amend charter of the city of Fayetteville. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 894, bill to establish within the city of Asheville a special court to be called the Police Court, and prescribing the jurisdiction thereof, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Libraries:

By Senator Empie, S. B. 777, bill to appropriate and consolidate the annual appropriation for the Moore's Creek Battle-ground Association, with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the bill is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 428, bill to permit county commissioners to regulate speed of automobiles, motor-cycles and like vehicles on the public roads. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

H. B. 487, S. B. 460, bill to change the law making the executor of an executor the executor of the testator, with a favorable recommendation.

Senator Webb reports that the conference committee on the part of the Senate and the House of Representatives have considered H. B. 526, S. B. 243, bill to amend chapter 159, Public Laws of 1903, to protect water supplies, providing that said act shall apply to water companies which may hereafter be organized, and recommend that the House of Representatives recede from its amendments thereto.

The report of the committee is adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that Messrs. Powers, Feimster and Ryburn have been appointed as conference committee on the part of the House to consider H. B. 815, S. B. 512, bill to amend chapter 100, Private Laws of 1891, relative to the town of Conoho, Martin County.

A message is received from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that that honorable body refuses to concur in Senate amendment to H. B. 297, S. B. 552, bill to protect landlords and tenants, in so far as it applies to Franklin County, and the House has appointed Mr. Ballard as committee on the part of the House to confer with a like committee on the part of the Senate, that all matters of difference may be adjusted.

The President appoints Senator Boddie as committee on the part of the Senate to consider the above bill.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting a resolution, which is read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. R. 1399, S. R. 1014, resolution to renovate the portrait of George Washington in the hall of the House of Representatives in the capitol at Raleigh. Referred to Committee on Library.

Senator Scales introduces the following resolution:

*Resolved by the Senate,* that the rules of the Senate be amended so as to make five members a quorum of the Committee on Education.

Senator Duls moves to amend:

Amend by adding the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

The amendment is adopted.

The resolution is adopted.

PETITIONS.

A petition is presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Fleming, by request, petition from the citizens of Pitt County asking that the limits of the stock law territory of Pitt County be extended. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that the House of Representatives refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to H. B. 776, S. B. 693, bill to protect landlords and tenants in certain counties, and asking that a conference committee be appointed on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee on the part of the House to consider the bill.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Webb, S. B. 991, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Buncombe County to issue bonds, etc. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 992, bill to authorize the town of Morehead City to issue bonds to pay certain indebtedness and for other purposes. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 993, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Morehead City. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 994, bill to amend chapter 111, Private Laws of 1887, relative to the town of Morehead City. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 995, bill to amend the public

road law of Scotland County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 996, bill to restore burned, lost or destroyed records. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 997, bill to amend section 1985 of The Code, relative to the sale of unclaimed freight. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 998, bill to amend the charter of the town of Dallas. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 999, bill to prevent the overflow of White Oak Swamp, in Bladen County, by the waters of the Cape Fear River. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 1000, bill for the betterment of the public roads of Edgecombe County. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 1001, bill relating to listing for taxation personal property held in trust. Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 1002, bill to prevent the delivery of intoxicating liquors in prohibition territory to persons under fictitious names. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 1003, bill to repeal section 2, chapter 41, Public Laws of 1893, in regard to mining for gold in McDowell County. Referred to the Committee on Mining.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 1004, bill regarding the charter of Concord. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 1005, bill to assess the land of Beaver Dam, Flat Swamp and Gum Log Swamp in Flea Hill Township, Cumberland County, for the construction of canals for the drainage of said lands. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 1006, bill to appoint justices of the peace for Stanly County. Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 1007, bill to allow the town of Madison in Rockingham County to issue bonds. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 1008, bill to amend chapter 125, Public Laws of 1903, known as the prohibition law of Cumberland County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 1009, bill to protect game in Carteret County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 1010, bill to provide a ballot primary election law for the county of Scotland. Referred to the Committee on Election Laws.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 1011, bill to repeal chapter 84, Private Laws of 1897, entitled "An act to incorporate the Auxiliary Board of Health of Edgecombe County." Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 1012, bill to amend the Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Company and to confer upon them additional powers. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 1013, bill to amend chapter 378, Private Laws of 1901, authorizing special tax in Edgecombe County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Messages are received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1172, S. B. 977, bill to amend chapter 481, Public Laws 1903, relative to the stock law in Faison and Wolfscrape Townships in Duplin County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1228, S. B. 978, bill to authorize V. A. Martin, tax collector, to collect the taxes which are in arrears for the year of 1903 in the town of East Bend, and in East Bend Graded School District in Yadkin County. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1287, S. B. 979, bill for the protection of game in Macon County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1279, S. B. 980, bill to reincorporate the Chowan Baptist Female Institute in Hertford County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 964, S. B. 981, bill to protect fish in Yancey County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 1197, S. B. 982, bill to protect foxes in Rockingham County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1074, S. B. 983, bill for the relief of James A. Logan, late treasurer of Yadkin County. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1165, S. B. 984, bill to amend chapter 325, Laws of 1903, regarding the sale of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs. Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 1078, S. B. 1021, bill to amend chapter 416, Public Laws 1901, relating to stock law in part of Lillington Township, Harnett County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 633, S. B. 1022, bill to regulate the holding of courts in Surry County. Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

H. B. 1132, S. B. 1024, bill to incorporate the town of Patterson in Caldwell County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1180, S. B. 1023, bill amending the stock law of Jackson County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1182, S. B. 1025, bill to regulate hunting of wild fowls in certain portions of Currituck Sound. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1181, S. B. 1026, bill making it unlawful to lay any poison on any land not enclosed by a lawful fence. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 830, S. B. 1027, bill to amend the charter of the town of Randleman in Randolph County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1245, S. B. 1028, bill to prohibit the sale of cigarette tobacco within the town of Wingate in Union County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 884, S. B. 1029, bill to define the limits and establish the Smithfield Graded School in Johnston County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1196, S. B. 1030, bill to prohibit the putting of sawdust into certain streams in Ashe County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1246, S. B. 1031, bill to amend chapter 366 of the Public Laws of 1901, by providing that the chain-gang for Union County may be worked on the streets of Monroe in event the Monroe Township road fund should at any time become exhausted. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1166, S. B. 985, bill to amend and make more effective chapter 86, Laws of 1899, as supplemented by chapter 369, Laws of 1899, to prevent the sale of adulterated and misbranded food. Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 921, S. B. 986, bill to amend the charter of the town of Clyde in Haywood County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 869, S. B. 987, bill to amend the charter of the town of Black Mountain. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1112, S. B. 988, bill to regulate the hunting of quail and other birds in the county of Edgecombe. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1012, S. B. 989, bill to secure compulsory school attendance in Raleigh Township, Wake County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 422, S. B. 990, bill to regulate the appointment and duties of Cotton-weigher for the town of Dunn, Harnett County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 923, S. B. 1016, bill to amend the charter of the town of Lillington, Harnett County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1220, S. B. 1017, bill to authorize the Treasurer of the School Fund of Duplin County to pay off outstanding claims against the county board of education of said county. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 846, S. B. 1018, bill to establish graded school in the town of Littleton. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1046, S. B. 1019, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Hertford County to levy a special tax to repair the court-house and build vaults for county records. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 407, S. B. 1020, bill to regulate the taking of fish from Roanoke and Middle Rivers and to prohibit Sunday fishing. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

## ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 686, S. B. 230, an act to provide for and regulate the holding of primary elections in the city of Asheville and in the county of Buncombe.

H. B. 1167, S. B. 825, an act to prevent obstructing of Peachtree Creek, Cherokee County, by felling trees or brush therein.

H. B. 662, S. B. 645, an act to ratify all acts and proceedings relating to the authorization of the issuance of bonds of the town of Lexington to the amount of sixty thousand dollars under the provisions of chapter three hundred and four, Private Laws, session of nineteen hundred and three; and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the town of Lexington to levy and collect a special tax for the payment of the bonds and interest thereon issued under the provisions of the said act.

H. B. 770, S. B. 759, an act to prevent the felling of timber trees and the depositing of dead bodies in the streams of Ashe and Buncombe Counties.

H. B. 764, S. B. 844, an act to prevent fishing in the waters of Cecil and Cataloochee Townships in Haywood County.

H. B. 344, S. B. 422, an act to amend chapter 325 of the Private Laws of 1903.

H. B. 796, S. B. 812, an act to repeal chapter 81, Public Laws of 1897, and chapter 121, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the hunting of deer in Hyde County.

H. B. 1009, S. B. 847, an act to amend chapter 276, Public Laws 1903, to define the location of a certain church in Catawba County.

H. B. 1173, S. B. 944, an act for the relief of A. P. Borders, a school-teacher.

H. B. 1113, S. B. 816, an act supplemental to an act ratified the ninth day of February, 1903, entitled "An act to protect fish and birds in Burke County."

H. B. 975, S. B. 769, an act to amend the charter of the town of Brevard.

H. B. 865, S. B. 717, an act to prevent live stock from running at large in a certain territory in Columbus County.

H. B. 397, S. B. 690, an act forbidding the sale of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquor or intoxicating bitters

within two miles of any church or school-house in Waccamaw Township in Columbus County.

H. B. 1115, S. B. 815, an act relating to the bird law in Catawba County.

H. B. 694, S. B. 251, an act to amend the general road law and extend its provisions to Vance County.

H. B. 606, S. B. 503, an act to better regulate fishing in Currituck Sound.

H. B. 1045, S. B. 632, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to refund the debt incurred by Rutherford County in subscribing to one hundred thousand dollars of the capital stock of the Rutherford Railway Construction Company, and to provide for the payment of the same.

H. B. 1106, S. B. 523, an act to incorporate the Southport and Northwestern Railway Company.

H. B. 1043, S. B. 610, an act to incorporate the Pinetops Banking Company.

H. B. 993, S. B. 556, an act to incorporate Asheville and Northern Railway Company.

H. B. 880, S. B. 840, an act to incorporate "Oak Grove Cemetery Company" in Robeson County.

H. B. 554, S. B. 259, an act to prevent the destruction of small menhaden in the waters of the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 946, S. B. 524, an act to incorporate the Pee Dee Valley Railway Company.

## THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 918, S. B. 729, bill for the protection of birds and other game in Mineral Springs Township, Richmond County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered

sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 968, bill to prevent domestic fowls running at large in the city of Fayetteville, Cumberland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 774, bill to regulate killing of quail and other game birds in Buncombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 996, S. B. 903, bill to regulate the hunting of opossums in the counties of Lincoln, Catawba and Harnett, upon second reading.

H. B. 278, S. B. 757, bill to amend charter of the town of Hillsboro, providing for the regulation of the liquor traffic under certain contingencies, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 853, S. B. 686, bill to amend chapter 174, Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 219, Public Laws of 1885, concerning the stock law of Buncombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1176, S. B. 958, bill to protect squirrels in Pender County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 676, S. B. 938, bill to prohibit manufacture and sale of liquor in the town of Littleton, N. C., except by a vote of the people, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 362, S. B. 399, bill to empower executors and administrators, administrators with will annexed, and adminis-

trators *d. b. n.* with will annexed, to sell land for the benefit of the estate they represent, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and it is ordered that the amendment be engrossed and the bill sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 689, S. B. 586, bill to pay witnesses attending courts of justices of the peace in Franklin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 540, S. B. 449, bill to amend section 363 of The Code, with reference to serving process of attachment, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 501, S. B. 549, bill concerning Tucker's Grove Camp-ground Encampment, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1025, S. B. 830, bill to increase powers of Thomasville Loan and Trust Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 924, S. B. 821, bill to amend charter of the Commercial and Farmers Bank of Raleigh, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 977, S. B. 922, bill to allow Raleigh Banking and Trust Company time to organize, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 867, S. B. 841, bill to amend section 5, chapter 357, Private Laws of 1903, in relation to the Bank of Lillington in Harnett County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 615, S. B. 935, bill to amend charter of the Merchants and Farmers Bank of Columbia, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 893, bill to amend chapter 558, Public Laws of 1901, relating to sales for taxes, upon second reading.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 234, S. B. 451, bill to repeal chapter 627, Public Laws of 1903, relative to dumping sawdust in the streams of No. 11 Township, Madison County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 323, S. B. 419, bill to amend chapter 312, Public Laws of 1899, relative to killing fish with dynamite, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 986, S. B. 902, bill to amend section 3410, Volume II of The Code, providing fish-ways over dams in Stony Fork Creek in Wilkes County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 380, S. B. 540, bill relative to catching fish in Cherokee County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 533, S. B. 378, bill to protect fish in Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 882, S. B. 839, bill for the protection of perch during bedding season, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 802, S. B. 919, bill to regulate catching of fish in the waters of South Creek, Broad Creek and their tributaries, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 261, S. B. 361, bill to prevent hedging fish in the waters of Carteret County, upon second reading.

Senator Arendell moves to amend:

Amend by adding the words "To go into effect on and after April 20, 1905."

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 460, S. B. 379, bill to protect fish in White's mill-pond in Halifax County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 474, S. B. 536, bill to prevent catching fish in the waters of Fourney's and Hazel Creeks in Swain County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 775, bill to require establishment and maintenance of fish-ways in certain streams in Buncombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 658, S. B. 535, bill for the protection of fish in the waters of Frying Pan in Tyrrell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1243, S. B. 952, bill to amend road law of Buncombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1016, S. B. 919, bill to authorize the paying of road supervisors and overseers in Cherokee County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 871, S. B. 909, bill to amend chapter 644, Public Laws of 1901, to work convicts on the public roads of Wilkes County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 890, bill to prevent riding or driving any beast or vehicle on any public road in Guilford County where any work is being done until such road has been opened up for public use, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 911, S. B. 819, bill to amend chapter 48, Public Laws of 1903, to provide for the better working of public roads and highways of Cleveland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 892, bill to permit County Commissioners or Highway Commissioners of Guilford County to gather material to be used on public roads beyond the limits of said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1085, S. B. 911, bill for the relief of the Commis-

sioners of the town of Blowing Rock in Watauga County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 583, S. B. 853, bill to fix salaries of county officers in Guilford County and to increase the road fund, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 881, bill to amend chapter 17, Private Laws of 1903, so as to extend the corporate limits of the town of Shelmerdine, in Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 967, bill to establish the boundary line of Alleghany County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1147, S. B. 829, bill to create township of Gilkie in Rutherford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1162, S. B. 820, bill to repeal charter of the town of Olin in Iredell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 734, S. B. 898, bill to amend section 1727 of The Code, as applied to Cumberland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 871, bill to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at Lakewood Park in Durham County and to prevent public drunkenness there, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 882, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of Leggetts in Edgecombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 965, S. B. 923, bill to amend chapter 43, Public Laws of 1903, by striking out Yancey County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1083, S. B. 912, bill to prevent fast driving over Clarendon bridge at Fayetteville in Cumberland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 910, S. B. 908, bill to amend charter of the town of Kelford, prohibiting manufacture and sale of liquor, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 887, bill to allow the County Commissioners of Bladen County to sell the county farm, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 894, bill to establish within the city of Asheville a special court to be known as the Police Court and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 428, bill to permit county commissioners to regulate the speed of automobiles, motor-cycles and other like vehicles on the public roads, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading.

H. B. 487, S. B. 460, bill to change the law making the executor of an executor the executor of the testator, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 742, bill to establish Ruffin Graded School District in Rockingham County, upon third reading.

The amendment offered by Senator Burton is adopted.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 978, S. B. 811, bill to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Marshall in Madison County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 912, S. B. 826, bill to amend chapter 417, Public Laws of 1899, providing for an extension of time for collecting taxes to build a new jail in Alexander County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 674, bill to provide for the working of public roads

of Surry County and issuing bonds for same, upon third reading.

The amendment offered by Senator Boyles is adopted.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 805, bill for the better working of public roads and highways in Pasquotank County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 867, bill to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the city of Hot Springs to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 39, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Pitt County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 800, bill to amend the charter of the town of Laurinburg and to allow the commissioners of said town to issue bonds for the payment of the outstanding indebtedness of the said town for the electric light plant and to levy a tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 972, S. B. 931, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the county of Jackson to levy special taxes for the purpose of building iron bridges and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls,

Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Turner, Toms, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 1069, S. B. 931, bill to incorporate the town of Haywood in Chatham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Shaw, Scales, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 547, S. B. 834, bill to amend the charter of the town of Teacheys in Duplin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Sinclair, Shaw, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 1136, S. B. 946, bill to authorize the town of Lenoir in Caldwell County to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne,

Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 603, S. B. 943, bill to provide for a fence law for part of Scotland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

S. B. 963, bill to authorize the city of Fayetteville to enlarge its electric light plant and fund its floating indebtedness, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 857, S. B. 956, bill to regulate the construction and improvement of the public roads of the county of Martin, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Stringfield, Thorne,

Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 862, S. B. 835, bill to improve the public roads of Smithville Township, Brunswick County, providing for issue of bonds for same, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 609, S. B. 788, bill to levy a special tax in Wilkes County for the purpose of building bridges across the Yadkin River, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 1144, S. B. 957, bill to provide for the working of convicts on the public highways of McDowell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore,

Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 242, S. B. 662, bill to provide for the erection of a bridge across the Catawba River between Burke and Caldwell Counties, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

S. B. 868, bill to incorporate the town of Council in Bladen County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 876, S. B. 948, bill to authorize the city of Monroe to issue bonds to fund its current indebtedness, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore,

Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 1124, S. B. 953, bill to permit the town of Dunn, Harnett County, to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 1088, S. B. 954, bill to enable the town of Southern Pines to issue bonds to establish a sewerage system and enlarge and improve its water-works system and for other public improvements, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 1174, S. B. 948, bill to provide for the payment of the railroad bonds of Cleveland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore,

Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 1097, S. B. 817, bill to amend the charter of the town of Spring Hope, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

S. B. 972, bill to amend the charter of the town of Farmville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 681, S. B. 765, bill to amend chapter 91 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 123 of the Private Laws 1889, amending, revising and consolidating the charter of the town of Franklin in Macon County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne,

Toms, Turner Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 997, S. B. 945, bill to amend the charter of the town of Magnolia in Duplin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

S. B. 611, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Vance County to issue bonds for road purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Foushee, Gilliam, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

Upon motion of Senator Wright, the Senate adjourns until 10:30 o'clock to-morrow.

## FORTY-FOURTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 23, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. C. L. Reid of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Odell, leave of absence is granted Senator Duls.

Upon motion of Senator McLean, S. B. 1010, bill to provide a ballot primary election law for the county of Scotland, is withdrawn from the Committee on Election Laws and placed upon the Calendar.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports from standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Turner, H. B. 906, S. B. 925, bill to protect fish in Moccasin Creek in Johnston County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 855, S. B. 910, bill to protect wood and timber lands from fire, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Taylor, H. B. 1057, S. B. 927, bill to prevent the sale of wine and cider within a mile and a half of St. Matthew's Church in Sampson County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1194, S. B. 916, bill to incorporate New River Baptist Church in Ashe County. The committee recommends that the bill be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted and the bill is so referred.

H. B. 1080, S. B. 913, bill to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Friendship Church in Harnett County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1117, S. B. 904, bill to prohibit manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in town of Yadkinville in Yadkin County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 1071, S. B. 914, bill to prevent persons under eighteen years of age discharging fire-arms between Springer's Point and Jackson Point on the Island of Ocracoke in Hyde County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1019, S. B. 930, bill to prevent obstruction of Slade's Swamp and Smith's mill-race in Cumberland County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, H. B. 1170, S. B. 917, bill to prevent the obstruction of the run of Vines Swamp in Jones County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 1111, S. B. 942, bill to establish a stock law around the town of Winterville in Pitt County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 708, S. B. 922, bill to protect church gatherings in Hertford, Bertie and Northampton Counties, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Claims:

By Senator Aaron, bill to repeal chapter 695, Public Laws of 1901, for the relief of M. H. Clark, with favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 639, bill to require the Sheriff of Ashe County to be in his office at certain times. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Coxe, H. B. 88, S. B. 501, bill to regulate the pay of jurors in Greene County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 510, S. B. 530, bill for the relief of N. W. Watson, Clerk of the Superior Court of Craven County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 492, bill to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Pitt County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 601, bill to provide a method for drawing jurors for the Superior Court of Guilford County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 635, bill relative to contracts between attorneys at law and their clients, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Burton, H. B. 1032, S. B. 756, bill to regulate the pay of jurors in Harnett County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Wright, H. B. 917, S. B. 929, bill for the relief of certain witnesses in Chatham County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Wright, H. B. 745, S. B. 696, bill to prevent sale of meats of diseased animals, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1065, S. B. 932, bill for the relief of J. F. McCubbins, Clerk of the Superior Court of Rowan County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 996, bill to restore burnt, lost and destroyed records. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 745, bill to correct grant No. 143 to David Jones of Beaufort County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Vann, H. B. 360, S. B. 541, bill to amend chapter 191, Public Laws of 1903, to restore local self-government in Perquimans County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 737, bill to amend chapter 235, Public Laws of 1899, section 7, so as to allow acknowledgment of instruments to which the Clerk of the Court is a

party before justices of the peace, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 799, bill to repeal chapter 478, Public Laws of 1899, relating to holding of inquests in Northampton County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 196, bill concerning building and loan associations. The committee reports a substitute and recommends its passage.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 810, bill to provide fund for erecting school buildings in Guilford County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 806, to authorize and empower the Trustees of Esther Academy to convey by fee-simple deed the lot or any part thereof on which the said academy was burned, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 875, bill supplementary to and amendatory of chapter 120, Private Laws of 1903, incorporating the Winston-Stewart Turnpike Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 976, bill to amend chapter 4, Public Laws of 1901, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 872, S. B. 926, bill to provide for a special tax election in Eureka Public School District in Moore County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 964, bill to submit to the qualified voters of the city of Asheville the question of requiring compulsory education in said city, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 797, bill for the relief of Cattie Kirby, a schoolteacher of Anson County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Long of Iredell, H. B. 786, S. B. 941, bill to establish Mooresville Graded School District, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 208, bill to incorporate the Bryson City Graded School District, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 982, S. B. 906, bill to amend public school law relative to Friendship Graded School in Alamance County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1279, S. B. 980, bill to reincorporate the Chowan Baptist Female Institute in Hertford County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 993, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Morehead City in Carteret County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 704, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Beaufort in Carteret County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 915, S. B. 855, bill to incorporate Andrews School District No. 4 in Cherokee County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Stringfield, H. B. 1169, S. B. 947, bill to establish graded schools in town of Aulander in Bertie County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Pearson, H. B. 846, S. B. 1018, bill to establish graded schools in town of Littleton. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Wright, S. B. 1000, bill for the betterment of the public roads of Edgecombe County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1013, bill to amend chapter 378, Public Laws of 1901, authorizing a special tax in Edgecombe County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1011, bill to amend chapter 84, Public Laws of 1897, to incorporate the Auxiliary Board of Health of Edgecombe County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 1012, bill to amend charter

of Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Company, and confer additional powers, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Insurance:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 889, bill to amend chapter 536, Public Laws of 1903, regulating life insurance companies, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Wright, S. B. 735, bill to incorporate the Winston, High Point and Wadesboro Interurban Railway Company, with favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Boddie, H. B. 222, S. B. 836, bill for regulating time of holding Superior Courts of Franklin County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 971, bill to validate the proofs and registration of certain deeds and conveyances. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 860, bill relating to certain deeds made by corporations in this State, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, H. B. 718, S. B. 843, bill to amend chapter 254, Private Laws of 1903, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Judicial Districts:

By Senator Boddie, H. B. 705, S. B. 842, bill to provide for additional terms of Superior Court in Rockingham County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 785, bill to charter the Waynesville Railway and Power Company, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Webb, S. B. 658, bill to consolidate and revise

the charter of the city of Winston, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 991, bill to authorize Board of Commissioners of Buncombe County to issue bonds for the purpose of securing a suitable site and erecting thereon building or buildings for the care of the aged and infirm, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 992, bill to authorize the town of Morehead City to issue bonds to pay certain indebtedness, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1046, S. B. 1019, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Hertford County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 998, bill to amend charter of the town of Dallas, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McLean, H. B. 1132, S. B. 1024, bill to incorporate the town of Patterson in Caldwell County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 869, S. B. 987, bill to amend charter of the town of Black Mountain, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 923, S. B. 1016, bill to amend charter of the town of Lillington in Harnett County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 863, bill to amend section 3824 of The Code, relating to the power of mayor and commissioners to sell corporate property, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 834, S. B. 766, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to fund its debt and levy taxes for the payment of same, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Vann, S. B. 861, bill to amend charter of the city of New Bern. The committee reports a substitute, and recommends the passage of the substitute.

H. B. 830, S. B. 1027, bill to amend charter of the town of Randleman in Randolph County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, H. B. 1246, S. B. 1031, bill to amend chapter 366, Public Laws of 1901, providing for chain-gang for Moore County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 994, bill to amend Private Laws of 1887, chapter 111, relative to town of Morehead City, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1007, bill to allow town of Madison in Rockingham County to issue bonds, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 921, S. B. 986, bill to amend charter of the town of Clyde in Haywood County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, H. B. 612, S. B. 513, bill to amend charter of the town of LaGrange in Lenoir County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

PETITION.

A petition is presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Williams, petition relative to issue of bonds by Stanly County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Williams, S. B. 1041, bill to authorize the county of Stanly to refund its bonded indebtedness. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 1042, resolution to pay expenses of joint committee to visit and inspect oyster grounds of the State. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 1043, bill to prohibit public officials riding on or using free passes or mileage books during their term of office. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 1044, bill to incorporate the Methodist Protestant College of North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 1045, bill relating to the office of Treasurer of Henderson County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 1046, bill to prohibit the sale of liquor within one mile of Methodist Church, near Palmyra, Halifax County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 1047, bill to prevent sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within five miles of White Oak Academy. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Mason of Northampton, S. B. 1048, bill to amend chapter 444, Laws of 1889, as amended by chapter 106, Laws of 1891, relative to evidence of promise or agreement to work, obtaining advances thereon, and failure to comply. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 1049, bill to add to the limits of the present stock law territory in Pitt County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 1050, bill for the betterment of the public roads of Pitt County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 1051, bill to provide for turning into the general fund of the county one-third of the profits of the dispensaries in Pitt County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 1062, bill to amend chapter 195, Public Laws of 1889, so as to change corporate limits of the town of Tarboro and to redistrict the same. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 1062, bill to amend chapter 195, Public Laws of 1899, so as to change corporate limits

of the town of Tarboro and redistrict the same. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Jones, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as correctly engrossed, and it is ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 153, bill to provide fire-escapes and protect human life.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that Messrs. Murphy of Rowan, Gordon of Guilford, and Coffield have been appointed as committee on the part of the House to consider the South Dakota bond matter, in accordance with joint resolution adopted by the General Assembly.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, it is ordered that S. B. 742, bill to establish Ruffin Graded School District in Rockingham County, be recalled from the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Miller, S. B. 177, bill to prevent hunting on the lands of another without permission of the owner or his agent, which was heretofore withdrawn by him, is reinstated and referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives asking the recall of H. B. 1120, bill to incorporate Spring Hope Graded School, prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors within two miles of same. It is ordered that the bill be returned to the House of Representatives.

A message is received from the House of Representatives returning to the Senate S. B. 742, bill to establish Ruffin Graded School District in Rockingham County.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the vote by which this bill passed its third reading is reconsidered, and the bill is again placed upon its third reading.

Senator Burton moves to amend:

Amend by striking out all after the word "district" in the third line from bottom of the substitute for section 2, adopted by the Senate, and insert the following: "The person receiving the highest number of votes cast respectively for the vacancies caused in the said board of trustees shall be declared elected."

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour the President lays before the Senate S. B. 505, bill to punish barratry, upon second reading.

Senator Ward moves to amend:

Amend by adding: "This act shall apply to Gaston County only."

The amendment fails.

Senator Long of Iredell moves to amend:

Amend by adding at the end of section 1 the following: "It shall further be unlawful and punishable within the discretion of the court for any law agent or other person representing any person, firm or corporation against whom a cause of action exists to advise or procure any person to not bring or institute any action therefor, or to cause, advise or pro-

cure the withdrawal of any action begun or hereafter to be commenced, or shall procure or obtain any such person to sign any release or retraxit when such person is not represented by counsel or advised as to his rights."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Burton moves to amend:

Amend by adding at the end of section 1 the following: "Provided, this act shall not apply to any case of advertising the business of an attorney."

Upon motion of Senator Coxe, the bill is re-referred to the Judiciary Committee.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 906, S. B. 925, bill to protect fish in Moccasin Creek in Johnston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 855, S. B. 910, bill to protect wood and timber lands from fire, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1057, S. B. 927, bill to prevent sale of wine and cider within a mile and a half of St. Matthew's Church in Sampson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1080, S. B. 913, bill to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Friendship Church in Harnett County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1117, S. B. 904, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in the town of Yadkinville in Yadkin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1071, S. B. 914, bill to prevent persons under eighteen years of age discharging fire-arms between Springer's Point and Jackson Point on the island of Ocracoke, Hyde County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1019, S. B. 930, bill to prevent obstruction of Slade's Swamp and Smith's mill-race in Cumberland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1170, S. B. 917, bill to prevent the obstruction of the run of Vines Swamp in Jones County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 708, S. B. 922, bill to protect church gatherings in Hertford, Bertie and Northampton Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 396, S. B. 231, bill to repeal chapter 695, Public Laws of 1901, for the relief of M. H. Clark, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 639, bill to require the Sheriff of Ashe County to be in his office at certain times, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

Senator Taylor moves to amend:

Amend by adding "Alleghany" after the word "Ashe" wherever it appears in said act.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 969, S. B. 987, bill to amend charter of the town of Black Mountain, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1069, S. B. 931, bill to incorporate the town of Haywood in Chatham County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1174, S. B. 949, bill to provide for the payment of the railroad bonds of Cleveland County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows :

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 857, S. B. 956, bill to regulate the construction and

improvement of the public roads of the county of Martin, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 997, S. B. 945, bill to amend the charter of the town of Magnolia in Duplin County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 681, S. B. 765, bill to amend chapter 91 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 123 of the Private Laws of 1889, amending, revising and consolidating the charter of the town of Franklin in Macon County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor,

Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 242, S. B. 662, bill to provide for the erection of a bridge across the Catawba River, between Burke and Caldwell Counties, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1097, S. B. 817, bill to amend the charter of the town of Spring Hope, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1144, S. B. 957, bill to provide for the working of convicts on the public roads and highways of McDowell County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason

of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 603, S. B. 943, bill to provide for a fence law for part of Scotland County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 862, S. B. 835, bill to improve the public roads of Smithville Township, Brunswick County, providing for issue of bonds for same, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 611, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Vance County to issue bonds for road purposes, upon third reading.

The amendment offered by Senator Mason of Gaston is adopted.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 972, S. B. 831, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the county of Jackson to levy a special tax for the purpose of building iron bridges and for other purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 876, S. B. 948, bill to authorize the city of Monroe to issue bonds to fund its current indebtedness, upon third reading,

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1124, S. B. 953, bill to permit the town of Dunn, Harnett County, to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1088, S. B. 954, bill to enable the town of Southern Pines to issue bonds to establish a sewerage system and to enlarge and improve its water-works system and for other public improvements, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1136, S. B. 946, bill to authorize the town of Lenoir in Caldwell County to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor,

Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 547, S. B. 834, bill to amend the charter of the town of Teacheys in Duplin County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 868, bill to incorporate the town of Council in Bladen County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 972, bill to amend the charter of the town of Farmville, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor,

Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 963, bill to authorize the city of Fayetteville to enlarge its electric light plant and fund its floating indebtedness, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Turner, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 658, bill to consolidate and revise the charter of the city of Winston, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 915, S. B. 855, bill to incorporate Andrews School District Number Four in Cherokee County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell,

Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 1000, bill for the betterment of the public roads of Edgecombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 991, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Buncombe County to issue bonds for the purpose of securing a site and erecting thereon a suitable building or buildings for the care of the poor, aged and infirm, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 846, S. B. 1018, bill to establish a graded school in the town of Littleton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell,

Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 884, S. B. 1029, bill to define the limits and establish the Smithfield Graded School in Johnston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 1169, S. B. 947, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Aulander, Bertie County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 830, S. B. 1027, bill to amend charter of the town of Randleman in Randolph County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor,

Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 785, bill to charter the Waynesville Railway and Power Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 994, bill to amend the Private Laws of 1887, chapter 111, relative to the town of Morehead City, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 1007, bill to allow the town of Madison in Rockingham County to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 612, S. B. 513, bill to amend the charter of the town of LaGrange, Lenoir County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 704, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Beaufort, Carteret County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 986, H. B. 921, bill to amend the charter of the town of Clyde in Haywood County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 1024, H. B. 1132, bill to incorporate the town of Patterson in Caldwell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 841, H. B. 786, bill to establish the Mooresville Graded School District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 735, bill to incorporate the Winston, High Point and Wadesboro Interurban Electric Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 964, bill to submit to the qualified voters of the city of Asheville the question of requiring compulsory education in said city and to provide for the issuing of bonds and the

levying of taxes for the purpose of carrying the same into effect, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 1111, S. B. 942, bill to establish a stock law around the town of Winterville, Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 872, S. B. 926, bill to provide for a special tax election in Eureka Public School District in Moore County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 834, S. B. 766, bill to authorize the Board of Com-

missioners of Forsyth County to fund its debt and lexy tax for the payment of same, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 998, bill to amend the charter of the town of Dallas, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

S. B. 1019, H. B. 1046, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Hertford County to levy a special tax to repair the court-house and build vaults for county records, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

S. B. 992, bill to authorize the town of Morehead City to issue bonds to pay certain indebtedness and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 609, S. B. 788, bill to levy a special tax in Wilkes County for the purpose of building bridges across the Yadkin River, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes 1, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Fleming, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—35.

Senator Somers votes in the negative.

## ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and ordered sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 676, S. B. 938, an act to prohibit the sale and manufacture of liquors in the town of Littleton, N. C., except by a vote of the people.

H. B. 910, S. B. 908, an act to amend the charter of the town of Kelford, prohibiting manufacture and sale of liquor.

H. B. 1085, S. B. 911, an act for the relief of the Commissioners of Blowing Rock.

H. B. 1162, S. B. 820, an act to repeal the charter of the town of Olin in Iredell County.

H. B. 902, S. B. 597, an act to amend the charter of the town of Edenton, North Carolina.

H. B. 583, S. B. 853, an act to fix salaries for the public officers of Guilford County and to increase the road fund.

H. B. 871, S. B. 909, an act to amend chapter 644, Public Laws of 1901, relative to working convicts on public roads.

H. B. 1025, S. B. 830, an act to increase the powers of the Thomasville Loan and Trust Company.

H. B. 40, S. B. 141, an act to amend section 2 of chapter 147, Public Laws 1885, to extend the time for proof of deeds.

H. B. 986, S. B. 902, an act to amend section 3410 of Volume II of The Code of North Carolina, prepared under the Laws of 1881 and 1883.

H. B. 912, S. B. 826, an act to amend chapter 417, Public Laws of 1899, providing for an extension of time for collecting taxes to build a new jail in Alexander County.

H. B. 1016, S. B. 915, an act to authorize the paying of Road Supervisors and Overseers in Cherokee County for making reports.

H. B. 689, S. B. 586, an act to pay witnesses attending courts of justices of the peace in Franklin County.

H. B. 533, S. B. 378, an act to protect fish in Robeson County.

H. B. 474, S. B. 536, an act to prevent the catching of fish in the waters of Forney's Creek or Hazel Creek or their tributaries in the county of Swain.

H. B. 658, S. B. 535, an act for the protection of fish in the waters of Frying Pan in Tyrrell County.

H. B. 1083, S. B. 912, an act to prevent fast driving over the Clarendon bridge at Fayetteville, Cumberland County.

H. B. 802, S. B. 919, an act to regulate the catching of fish in the waters of South Creek, Bond Creek and their tributaries in Beaufort County.

H. B. 1176, S. B. 958, an act to protect the squirrels of Pender and Montgomery Counties.

H. B. 1243, S. B. 952, an act to amend the road law of Buncombe County.

H. B. 734, S. B. 898, an act to amend section 1727 of The Code, as applied to Cumberland County.

H. B. 663, S. B. 568, an act to regulate the sale of seed cotton in Mecklenburg and Nash Counties.

H. B. 278, S. B. 757, an act to amend the charter of the town of Hillsboro, providing for the regulation of the liquor traffic in certain contingencies.

H. B. 526, S. B. 243, an act to amend chapter 159 of the Public Laws of 1903, it being an act to protect water supplies, providing that said act shall apply to water companies which may hereafter be organized.

H. B. 965, S. B. 923, an act to amend chapter 43, Public Laws 1893, by striking out Yancey County.

H. B. 1010, S. B. 848, an act amendatory of chapter 310 of the Public Laws of 1897.

H. B. 487, S. B. 460, an act to change the law making the executor of an executor the executor of the first testator.

H. B. 615, S. B. 935, an act to amend chapter 210, Private Laws of 1903, being an act to incorporate the Merchants and Farmers Bank of Columbia, North Carolina.

H. B. 867, S. B. 841, an act to amend section 5, chapter 357, Private Laws of 1903.

H. B. 853, S. B. 686, an act to amend chapter 174 of the Public Laws of 1891, and chapter 219 of the Public Laws of 1885, concerning stock law in Buncombe County.

H. B. 977, S. B. 822, an act to allow the Raleigh Banking and Trust Company time to organize.

H. B. 234, S. B. 451, an act to repeal chapter 627 of the

Public Laws of 1903, relative to dumping sawdust in the streams of Number Eleven Township, Madison County.

H. B. 460, S. B. 379, an act to protect fish in White's mill-pond in Palmyra Township, Halifax County.

H. B. 1147, S. B. 829, an act to create the township of Gilkey in Rutherford County.

H. B. 501, S. B. 549, an act concerning Tucker's Grove Camp-ground Encampment in Lincoln County.

H. B. 815, S. B. 512, an act to amend chapter 100, Private Acts of 1891, in reference to the town of Conoho.

H. B. 148, S. B. 209, an act to prevent riding bicycles on the sidewalk in the town of Roper.

H. B. 882, S. B. 839, an act for the protection of perch during the bedding season.

H. B. 323, S. B. 419, an act to amend chapter 312 of the Public Laws of 1889, relative to killing fish with dynamite and other explosives.

H. B. 380, S. B. 540, an act in reference to the catching of fish in Cherokee County.

H. B. 592, S. B. 32, an act to regulate fishing in Albemarle and Pamlico Sounds and waters connected with them.

H. B. 924, S. B. 821, an act to amend the charter of the Commercial and Farmers Bank of Raleigh, North Carolina.

H. B. 540, S. B. 449, an act to amend section 363 of The Code.

H. B. 978, S. B. 811, an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Marshall.

H. B. 912, S. B. 819, an act to amend chapter 48 of Public Laws of 1903, entitled "An act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways of Cleveland County."

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1313, S. B. 1032, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Granville County to refund the bonded indebtedness of Oxford and Salem Townships. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1309, S. B. 1033, bill to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for improving and repairing the roads of said county. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 299, S. B. 1034, bill to regulate the manner in which common carriers doing business in this State shall adjust freight charges and claims for loss and damages to freight. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 999, S. B. 1035, bill to provide for the protection and registration of deeds of persons interested in lands conveyed therein. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 914, S. B. 1036, bill authorizing the taking of the depositions of the superintendent or any physician of any of the hospitals for the insane. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1282, S. B. 1037, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy a special tax. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1283, S. B. 1038, bill to place certain territory in Chatham County under the stock law. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1233, S. B. 1039, bill to incorporate the Raleigh and Southport Railway Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 572, S. B. 1040, bill to incorporate the Dobson Railway Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1005, S. B. 1052, bill to amend chapter 15, Private Laws 1895, relating to the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Association of North Carolina. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 254, S. B. 1053, bill to facilitate the trial of civil and criminal actions by enabling the judge in his discretion to have a special venire summoned from any county in an adjoining district or in same district. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1275, S. B. 1054, bill to have an election on the subject of a special tax in School District No. 4, Unity Township, Rowan County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 495, S. B. 1055, bill to define the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in the State of North Carolina. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 546, S. B. 1056, bill to amend chapter 503 of the Public Laws of 1903, regulating the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of North Carolina. Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

H. B. 1081, S. B. 1057, bill to amend and consolidate the charter of Dunn, N. C. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1139, S. B. 1058, bill to incorporate the Junaluska Turnpike Company in Watauga County. Referred to the Committee on Roads.

H. B. 1168, S. B. 1059, bill to amend section 9 of chapter 420 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to discontinuing the use of public roads in Cabarrus County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1195, S. B. 1060, bill to prohibit fishing in North fork of New River in Ashe County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1171, S. B. 1061, bill to provide a better system for the working of the public roads of Jones County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

Upon motion of Senator Turner, the Senate adjourns until 10:30 o'clock to-morrow.

## FORTY-FIFTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 24, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. R. T. Vann of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Jones, the courtesies of the floor are extended ex-Senator W. L. Lambert of Madison County.

Upon request, Senator Burton is permitted to withdraw from the further consideration of the Senate S. B. 809, bill to amend chapter 89, Public Laws of 1901, relating to elections.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 1009, bill to protect game in Carteret County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

H. B. 1195, S. B. 1060, bill to prohibit fishing in North fork of New River in Ashe County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1008, bill to amend chapter 125, Public Laws of 1903, known as prohibition law of Cumberland County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Taylor, H. B. 1283, S. B. 1038, bill to place certain territory in Chatham County under the stock law, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1045, bill relating to the office of Treasurer of Henderson County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1046, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of liquor within one mile of the Methodist Church near Palmyra in Halifax County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Taylor, H. B. 495, S. B. 1055, bill to define the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in the State of North Carolina. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 1047, bill to prevent the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within five miles of White Oak Academy, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1049, bill to add to the limits of the present stock law territory in Pitt County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1051, bill to provide for turning into the general fund of the county one-third of the profits of the dispensaries of Pitt County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, H. B. 1112, S. B. 988, bill to regulate the hunting of quail and other game birds in the county of Edgecombe, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 1078, S. B. 1021, bill to amend chapter 416, Public Laws of 1901, relating to stock law in part of Lillington Township in Harnett County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turner, S. B. 798, bill to amend section 1050 of The Code, Laws of 1889, chapter 355, relative to the sale and manufacture of liquor in Iredell County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 1196, S. B. 1030, bill to prohibit the putting of sawdust into the streams of Ashe County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1002, bill to prevent the delivery of intoxicating liquors in prohibition territory to persons under fictitious names, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 422, S. B. 990, bill to regulate the appointment and duties of Cotton-weigher for the town of Dunn in Harnett County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 408, bill to protect game in

Surry County. The committee reports a substitute, and recommends its passage.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 885, bill to tax railroads doing business in the State of North Carolina to issue passes to certain officers of the State, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 32, S. B. 307, bill to repeal chapter 359, Public Laws of 1903. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 874, bill to repeal chapter 272, Public Laws of 1903, to amend chapter 17, Volume II of The Code, entitled "Entries and Grants," with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 479, bill to authorize executors and administrators to provide gravestones for deceased persons, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Wright, H. B. 595, S. B. 452, bill to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1903, for the purpose of paying one-half fees to officers and witnesses in cases where "Not a true bill" is found, in the counties named in this bill, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Pearson, H. B. 1220, S. B. 1017, bill to authorize the Treasurer of the School Fund of Duplin County to pay off the outstanding claims against the county board of education of said county, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1044, bill to incorporate the Methodist Protestant College of North Carolina, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 905, S. B. 899, bill to incorporate the Leaksville-Spray Academy in the town of Leaksville in Rockingham County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 873, bill to re-establish County Line Public School District in the counties of Forsyth and Guilford, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1012, S. B. 989, bill to secure compulsory school attendance in Raleigh Township, Wake County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McCulloch, H. B. 1116, S. B. 959, bill to form a special public school district in Cumberland County for the white race to be known as Rock Fish District, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 791, bill to amend chapter 171, Public Laws, relating to Pike School District in Cumberland and Robeson Counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 1064, bill to amend chapter 39, Private Laws of 1903, relative to bonds authorized to be issued by Mount Olive Graded School District, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Burton, H. B. 1017, S. B. 827, bill to incorporate Graham County Railway Company. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 995, bill to amend public road law of Scotland County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 966, bill to amend chapter 348, Public Laws of 1899, to regulate toll rates on the Cumberland Gap Road, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1050, bill for the betterment of the public roads of Pitt County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Jones, H. B. 1081, S. B. 1057, bill to amend and consolidate the charter of Dunn, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Watkins, S. B. 1062, bill to amend chapter 195, Public Laws of 1889, so as to change the corporate limits of the town of Tarboro and redistrict the same, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, H. B. 1313, S. B. 1032, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Granville County to refund bonded indebtedness of Oxford and Salem Townships, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, H. B. 1282, S. B. 1037, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Elections and Election Laws:

By Senator Scales, H. B. 1014, S. B. 833, bill to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in the city of Raleigh and to punish frauds committed thereat, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Appropriations:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 777, bill to appropriate and consolidate the annual appropriations for the Moore's Creek Battle-ground Association. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

H. B. 412, S. B. 370, bill to relieve the board of agriculture from contributing to the A. and M. College, as recommended in the message of Governor Aycock of January, 1905, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Health:

By Senator Coxe, H. B. 546, S. B. 1056, bill to amend chapter 503, Public Laws of 1903, regulating the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of North Carolina, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 1166, S. B. 985, bill to amend and make more effective chapter 87, Laws of 1899, supplemented by chapter 369, Laws of 1899, to prevent the sale of

adulterated and misbranded food, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Moore, H. B. 1165, S. B. 984, bill to amend chapter 325, Laws of 1903, regarding the sale of concentrated commercial feed stuffs, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Empie, S. B. 1015, bill to permit the Board of Public Works of Tarboro to issue bonds.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Alexander, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions correctly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and ordered sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 708, S. B. 922, an act to protect certain church gatherings in Hertford, Bertie and Northampton Counties from the annoyance of vendors of goods, cider and the like.

H. B. 1019, S. B. 930, an act to prevent the obstruction of Slade Swamp and Smith's mill-race in Columbus County.

H. B. 876, S. B. 948, an act to authorize the city of Monroe to issue bonds to fund its current indebtedness.

H. B. 972, S. B. 831, an act to authorize and empower the Board of Commissioners for the county of Jackson to levy special taxes for the purpose of building iron bridges and for other purposes.

H. B. 1136, S. B. 946, an act to authorize the town of Lenoir in the county of Caldwell to issue bonds.

H. B. 855, S. B. 910, an act to protect wood and timber lands from fire.

H. B. 396, S. B. 321, an act for the relief of M. H. P. Clark, relating to a certain bond, number 349, for $50.

H. B. 603, S. B. 943, an act to provide a fence law for part of Scotland County,

H. B. 906, S. B. 925, an act to protect fish in Moccasin Creek, Johnston County.

H. B. 1170, S. B. 917, an act to prevent the obstructing of Vine Swamp by felling trees in the run of said swamp.

H. B. 1080, S. B. 913, an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Friendship Church in Harnett County.

H. B. 1117, S. B. 904, an act to prohibit the sale or manufacture of intoxicating liquors within the corporate limits of the town of Yadkinville.

H. B. 1144, S. B. 957, an act to provide for the working of convicts on the public highways of McDowell County.

H. B. 857, S. B. 956, an act to regulate the construction and improvement of the public roads of the county of Martin.

H. B. 1088, S. B. 954, an act to enable the town of Southern Pines to issue bonds to establish a sewerage system and to enlarge and improve its water-works system, and for other public improvements.

H. B. 1097, S. B. 817, an act to amend the charter of the town of Spring Hope.

H. B. 242, S. B. 622, an act to provide for the erection of a bridge across the Catawba River between Burke and Caldwell Counties.

H. B. 1069, S. B. 931, an act to incorporate the town of Haywood in Chatham County.

H. B. 862, S. B. 935, an act to improve the public roads in Smithville Township, Brunswick County, and to provide for the issue of three thousand dollars in township bonds. This amount to be expended in improving the public roads in said township should a majority of the vote cast be for bonds. Election to be held first Monday in May, A. D. 1905, on question of issuing said bonds for the purpose aforesaid.

H. B. 1071, S. B. 914, an act to prevent persons under eighteen years of age discharging fire-arms between Springer's Point and Jackson's Point on the island of Ocracoke in Hyde County.

H. B. 1174, S. B. 949, an act to provide for the payment of the railroad bonds of Cleveland County.

H. B. 869, S. B. 987, an act to amend the charter of the town of Black Mountain.

H. B. 1057, S. B. 927, an act to prevent the sale of wine and cider within a mile and one-half of St. Matthew's Church in Sampson County.

H. B. 718, S. B. 843, an act to amend chapter 254 of the Private Laws of 1903.

H. B. 547, S. B. 834, an act to amend the charter of the town of Teacheys in Duplin County.

H. B. 997, S. B. 945, an act to amend the charter of the town of Magnolia in Duplin County.

H. B. 681, S. B. 765, an act to amend chapter 91 of the Private Laws of 1883, and chapter 123 of the Private Laws of 1889, amending, revising and consolidating the charter of the town of Franklin in Macon County.

H. B. 1124, S. B. 953, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the town of Dunn to issue bonds to pay off and discharge its floating indebtedness, and to improve, enlarge or otherwise beneficially change the present size or condition of the present public properties owned by the town of Dunn.

H. B. 297, S. B. 552, an act to protect landlords and tenants.

H. B. 609, S. B. 788, an act to levy a special tax in Wilkes County for the purpose of building bridges across the Yadkin River.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1064, bill to amend chapter 39, Private Laws of 1903, relating to bonds authorized to be issued by Mount Olive Graded School District. Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1065, bill to amend section 1760 of The Code, rela-

tive to landlords and tenants. Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 1066, bill to establish the line between Bladen and Cumberland Counties. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1064, bill to compel the Commissioners of Mitchell County to levy a special tax. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1068, bill to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the town of Greenville in Pitt County to borrow money not to exceed ten thousand dollars, for the purpose of establishing a sewerage system for said town. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1069, bill to amend chapter 186, Laws of 1901, conferring power to foreclose mortgage upon executor or administrator. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 1070, bill relating to the method of proof in indictments for embezzlement. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 1071, bill to amend chapter 272 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to land entries. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

S. B. 1072, bill to authorize the Treasurer of the School Fund of Bladen County to pay outstanding claims against the county board of education of said county. Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1073, bill to amend the charter of the city of Kinston. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1074, bill to repeal chapter 74, Public Laws of 1903, and to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, providing for holding courts of the eighth district. Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

S. B. 1075, bill to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the holding of courts in Buncombe County. Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

S. B. 1076, bill to authorize and empower the Corporation Commission to establish a depot at Burch. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

S. B. 1077, bill to amend chapter 781, Public Laws of 1903, relative to fees for coroners. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. R. 1078, resolution in favor of Miss M. A. Bledsoe. Referred to the Committee on Claims.

S. B. 1079, bill to relieve the people from excessive insurance rates and to prevent the organization or maintenance of trusts and combines in the business of fire insurance. Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 1080, bill to incorporate the Mecklenburg Power and Traction Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

S. B. 1081, bill to prevent the useless waste of timber. Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 1082, bill to amend the charter of the city of Statesville, to extend the city limits and to authorize said city to issue bonds for graded school and other purposes. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1083, bill to amend chapter 72, Private Laws 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1084, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for the purpose of building a court-house. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

## PETITIONS.

A petition is presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Zollicoffer, by request, petition of M. A. Bledsoe. Referred to the Committee on Claims.

Upon motion of Senator McLean, leave of absence is granted Senator Jones until Monday.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 208, bill to incorporate Bryson City School District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 59, S. B. 239, bill to abolish office of Standard-keeper in Currituck County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 519, S. B. 382, bill to prevent shooting, killing and netting of fish in Godwin's mill-pond in Perquimans County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 559, S. B. 402, bill to repeal chapter 575, Public Laws of 1903, relative to seining in Little River, in Mark's Creek and Little River Townships in Wake County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 492, bill to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 861, bill to amend charter of the city of New Bern, upon second reading.

The substitute reported by the Committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1010, bill to provide a ballot primary election law for Scotland County, upon second reading.

Senator Wright moves to amend by adding Rowan County.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and it is ordered that the amendment be engrossed and the bill sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 88, S. B. 501, bill to regulate the pay of jurors in Greene County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 510, S. B. 530, bill for the relief of W. N. Watson, Clerk of the Superior Court of Craven County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 360, S. B. 541, bill to amend chapter 191, Public Laws of 1903, to restore local self-government in Perquimans County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 860, bill relative to certain deeds made by corporations in this State, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 737, bill to amend chapter 235, Laws of 1899, section 7, so as to allow acknowledgment of instruments to which the Clerk of the Superior Court is a party to be made before a justice of the peace, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 971, bill to validate the proof and registration of certain deeds and conveyances of land, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

S. B. 996, bill to restore burned, lost and destroyed records, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 982, S. B. 906, bill to amend the public school law relative to Friendship Graded School in Alamance County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1020, S. B. 928, bill to amend section 2017 of The Code, so as to allow the overseers to work the roads ten days instead of six days, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 875, bill supplementary to and amendatory of chapter 120, Private Laws of 1903, incorporating the Winston-Stuart Turnpike Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 462, S. B. 578, bill to prevent hunting on the lands of another without written permission of the owner in Currituck County, upon second reading.

Senator Thorne moves to amend:

Amend by striking out Halifax County.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 863, bill to amend section 3824 of The Code, relative to power of mayor and commissioners to sell corporate property, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 705, S. B. 842, bill providing for additional terms of the Superior Court of Rockingham County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 222, S. B. 836, bill for regulating holding of courts in Franklin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 810, bill to provide fund for erecting school buildings in Guilford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 806, bill to authorize and empower the Trustees of Esther Academy to convey by fee-simple deed all or any part of the lot on which said academy was burned, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 871, bill to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at Lakewood Park in Durham County and to prevent public drunkenness there, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 804, bill to amend chapter 150, Public Laws of 1883, relative to Durham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 428, bill to permit County Commissioners to regulate the speed of automobiles, motor-cycles and other like vehicles on public roads and bridges, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 797, bill for the relief of Cattie Kirby, a school-teacher of Anson County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 799, bill to repeal chapter 478, Public Laws of 1899, relating to holding inquests in Northampton County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1032, S. B. 756, bill to regulate the pay of jurors in Harnett County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 745, bill to correct grant No. 143 to David Jones in Beaufort County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 745, S. B. 696, bill to prevent the sale of meats of diseased animals, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 601, bill to provide a method for drawing jurors for the Superior Court of Guilford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 515, S. B. 587, bill to prevent fishing with nets and seines in Stony Creek, in Hertford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1004, bill supplementary to an act ratified February 13, 1905, to amend charter of the town of Concord, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1042, resolution to pay expenses of joint committee to visit and inspect the oyster grounds of the State, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1246, S. B. 1031, bill to amend chapter 366, Public Laws of 1901, by providing that the chain-gang of Monroe Township may be worked on the streets of Monroe, etc., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1182, S. B. 1025, bill to regulate hunting wild fowl in certain portions of Currituck Sound, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 923, S. B. 1016, bill to amend charter of the town of Lillington in Harnett County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1012, bill to amend charter of the Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Company and confer upon them additional powers, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1011, bill to repeal chapter 84, Private Laws of 1897, to incorporate the Auxiliary Board of Health of Edgecombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 996, S. B. 903, bill to regulate hunting of opossums in Lincoln, Catawba and Harnett Counties, upon second reading.

Senator Turner moves to amend:

Amend by striking out Catawba.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1279, S. B. 980, bill to reincorporate the Chowan Baptist Female Institute in Hertford County, upon second reading.

Senator Vann moves to amend:

Amend by adding: "No trustee shall be personally liable for any debt contracted under this act unless it is so expressed by him in writing."

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1193, S. B. 960, bill to prevent hunting of quail and partridges in Franklinville Township, Randolph County, without permission, upon second reading.

The amendment offered by Senator Watkins is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1064, S. B. 933, bill to better protect public travel in Gates County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1065, S. B. 932, bill for the relief of J. F. McCubbin, Clerk of the Superior Court of Rowan County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 917, S. B. 929, bill for the relief of certain witnesses in Chatham County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

Senator Alexander moves to amend:

Amend by adding Rutherford County.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

S. B. 247, H. B. 729, bill to regulate conditional pardons, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Sinclair, the Senate refuses to concur in the House amendment.

Upon motion of Senator Sinclair, it is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives informing that honorable body of the refusal of the Senate to concur in the amendment, and asking for the appointment of a conference committee to consider the bill.

The President appoints Senator Sinclair as conference committee on the part of the Senate to meet with a like committee from the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting H. B. 888, S. B. 1085, bill to reform the divorce laws of North Carolina, which is read the first time and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The President announces the appointment of Senators Arendell, Fleming, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson and Shaw on the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Jones, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill is correctly engrossed, and it is ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 971, bill to validate the proof and registration of certain deeds and conveyances of land.

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is resumed.

S. B. 976, bill to amend chapter 4, Public Laws of 1901, chapter 435, Public Laws of 1903, and other laws relating to the public school law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

Senator Scales moves to amend:

Amend by striking out the words "after giving due notice" in line 2 thereof and inserting the following: "After giving at least ten days' notice."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Mason of Gaston moves to amend:

Amend by striking out section 2.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon request, Senator Foushee is permitted to withdraw from the further consideration of the Senate S. B. 604, bill for the relief of David S. Patrick.

H. B. 612, S. B. 513, bill to amend the charter of the town of LaGrange, Lenoir County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 658, bill to consolidate and revise the charter of the city of Winston, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Grady, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 704, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Beaufort, Carteret County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 735, bill to incorporate the Winston, High Point and Wadesboro Interurban Electric Railroad Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw,

Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 834, S. B. 766, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to fund its debts and to levy taxes for the payment of same, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 785, bill to charter the Waynesville Railway and Power Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 991, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Buncombe County to issue bonds for the purpose of securing a site and erecting thereon a suitable building or buildings for the care of the poor, aged and infirm, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 992, bill to authorize the town of Morehead City to issue bonds to pay certain indebtedness and for other purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 993, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Morehead City, Carteret County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner,

Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 994, bill to amend the Private Laws 1887, chapter 111, relative to the town of Morehead City, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 998, bill to amend the charter of the town of Dallas, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moor, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1000, bill for the betterment of the public roads of Edgecombe County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton,

Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1007, bill to allow the town of Madison in Rockingham County to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 846, S. B. 1018, bill to establish a graded school in the town of Littleton, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

H. B. 1046, S. B. 1019, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Hertford County to levy a special tax to repair the court-

house and building vaults for county records, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1132, S. B. 1024, bill to incorporate the town of Patterson in Caldwell County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 830, S. B. 1027, bill to amend the charter of the town of Randleman in Randolph County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner,

Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 884, S. B. 1029, bill to define the limits and establish the Smithfield Graded School in Johnston County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 921, S. B. 986, bill to amend the charter of the town of Clyde in Haywood County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 964, bill to submit to the qualified voters of the city of Asheville the question of requiring compulsory education in said city and to provide for the issuing of bonds and the levying of taxes for the purpose of carrying the same into effect, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1169, S. B. 947, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Aulander, Bertie County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1111, S. B. 942, bill to establish a stock law around the town of Winterville, Pitt County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 786, S. B. 941, bill to establish the Mooresville Graded School District, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 872, S. B. 926, bill to provide for a special tax election Eureka Public School District in Moore County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 915, S. B. 855, bill to incorporate Andrews School District Number Four in Cherokee County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones,

Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1116, S. B. 959, bill to form a special public school district in Cumberland County for the white race to be known as Rock Fish District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

S. B. 1050, bill for the betterment of the public roads of Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

H. B. 1017, S. B. 827, bill to incorporate the Graham County Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

H. B. 1081, S. B. 1057, bill to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Dunn, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

H. B. 1313, S. B. 1032, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Granville County to refund the bonded indebtedness of Oxford and Salem townships, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

H. B. 1282, S. B. 1037, bill to authorize the Commission-

ers of Pamlico County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

S. B. 1015, bill to permit the Board of Public Works of Tarboro, to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—40.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, the Senate adjourns until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

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## FORTY-SIXTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 25, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. A. H. Moment of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Arendell, leave of absence is granted Senator Ward on account of sickness.

Upon motion of Senator McCulloch, it is ordered that H. B. 1446, S. B. 887, bill to allow the County Commissioners of Bladen County to sell county farm, be recalled from the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, S. B. 1083, bill to amend chapter 72, Private Laws of 1899, to incorporate the town of Sylva, N. C., is re-referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Upon motion of Senator Zollicoffer, S. B. 1078, resolution in favor of M. A. Bledsoe, is recalled from the Committee on Claims and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Salaries and Fees:

By Senator Fleming, S. B. 807, bill to pay Solicitors of the State a stipulated salary instead of fees, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 866, bill to empower the Commissioners of New Hanover County to issue bonds for road improvement, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 1072, bill to authorize the Treasurer of the School Fund of Bladen County to pay off the claims against the county board of education of said county, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Scales, H. B. 962, S. B. 722, bill to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the city of Hickory to donate $10,000 to the city graded schools, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Burton, S. B. 698, bill to amend charter of the A. and N. C. Railway Company, with an unfavorable recommendation.

Senators Foushee, Scales, Mason of Gaston and Taylor submit a minority report recommending that the bill do pass.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bryan, S. B. 1083, bill to amend chapter 72, Private Laws of 1899, to incorporate the town of Sylva, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1066, bill to make certain and establish the line between Bladen and Cumberland Counties, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1068, bill to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the town of Greenville in Pitt County to borrow money not exceeding $10,000, to establish a sewerage system for said town, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 1084, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds and levy special tax to build court-house, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1067, bill to compel the Commissioners of Mitchell County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 1073, bill to amend charter of the city of Kinston, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Election Laws:

By Senator Webb, H. B. 956, S. B. 712, bill to prevent giving away intoxicating liquors on the day of election with intent to influence the election, or to sell intoxicating liquors on election day within five miles of voting precinct. The committee recommends that the Senate do not concur in the amendments by the House of Representatives, and that the Senate ask for the appointment of a conference committee on the part of the House of Representatives to confer with a committee to be appointed by the Senate to adjust the differences.

The President appoints as conference committee on the part of the Senate Senators Burton, Webb and Somers.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 559, bill to amend chapter 89, Public Laws of 1901, relating to elections, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 746, bill to amend section 13, chapter 89, Acts of 1901, known as the election law. The committee reports a substitute and recommends the passage of the substitute.

From the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds:

By Senator Watkins, S. B. 255, bill to provide for the erection of a building for Hall of Records and History, State Library, offices for Superintendent of Public Instruction, Insurance Commissioner and Adjutant General, Arsenal, Legislative Committee and Storage rooms. The committee reports a substitute, and recommends the passage of the substitute.

From the Committee on Judicial Districts:

By Senator Boddie, S. B. 1074, bill to repeal chapter 25, Public Laws of 1903, and to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, providing for holding courts of the Eighth Judicial District, with favorable recommendation.

## PETITIONS.

A petition is presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Taylor, petition for change in boundary line of Alleghany and Wilkes Counties. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Aaron, by request, S. B. 1153, bill to amend chapter 83, Private Laws of 1899, being an act to incorporate

the city of New Bern. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 1154, bill to prevent fire insurance companies from limiting commissions of the agents of other companies. Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 1155, bill to establish a free ferry across Cape Fear River at Tar Heel Landing. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 1156, bill to regulate the time of holding the Superior Courts of Bladen County. Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 1157, bill to provide for the annotation of the statute law of North Carolina. Referred to the Committee on Codification of Laws.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 1158, bill to abolish the pilotage laws of North Carolina. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Boddie, S. B. 1159, bill to change the name of Freeman's Township, Franklin County. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 1160, bill to incorporate Holman Christian University. Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 1161, bill to change the boundary line of Alleghany and Wilkes Counties. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 1162, bill to change the boundary lines of Fairview School District No. 1 in Fairview Township, Buncombe County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 1163, bill to submit to the qualified voters of Creswell, Washington County, the abolition of the dispensary in said town. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 1164, bill to provide a division of the liquor tax of New Hanover County. Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 1165, joint resolution concerning the Jamestown Exposition. Referred to the Committee on Immigration.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 1166, bill authorizing the city of Statesville to call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for graded schools and other purposes. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 1167, bill to authorize the city of Wilmington to establish and maintain an industrial school. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Alexander, S. B. 1169, bill for the relief of J. H. Hamric, a justice of the peace of Rutherford County. Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 1170, bill to repeal chapter 78, Laws of 1887, so far as it relates to Orange and Durham Counties. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 1171, bill to amend the charter of the city of Greensboro. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Messages are received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1494, S. B. 1111, bill to amend section 9, chapter 435, Public Laws of 1903, regulating apportionment of school fund in Mecklenburg County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1252, S. B. 1112, bill to better regulate the working the public roads in Tyrrell County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1412, S. B. 1113, bill to prohibit the killing of partridges and quail in Alexander County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1411, S. B. 1114, bill concerning stock law in parts

of Chatham and Moore Counties. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1427, S. B. 1115, bill for the protection of foxes in Alleghany County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1428, S. B. 1116, bill for the protection of deer in Yancey County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1488, S. B. 1117, bill to amend section 1847 of The Code, by permitting owners of public mills operated by gasoline, steam or other motive power to charge a toll of one-seventh in Person County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1409, S. B. 1118, bill to amend chapter 239, Private Laws 1889, it being an act entitled "An act to amend the charter of the town of Murphy in Cherokee County." Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1300, S. B. 1119, bill to repeal a portion of chapter 142, Private Laws of 1897, relative to allowing the voters of the town of Carthage in Moore County to vote on bonds for water and electric light plant. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1305, S. B. 1120, bill to amend section one of chapter 518, Public Laws of 1901. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1294, S. B. 1121, bill amending chapter 407 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to Pelham Graded School. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1289, S. B. 1122, bill to authorize a right of way to establish a street railway company from Hickory to Catawba Springs in Catawba County. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

H. B. 1311, S. B. 1123, bill to amend chapter 23, Laws of 1879, entitled an act to allow Leaksville Township, Rockingham County, to subscribe to the capital stock of a railroad. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

H. B. 1422, S. B. 1124, bill to protect sheep in Haywood County. Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 1424, S. B. 1125, bill to correct certain irregularities in and to validate State grant No. 3083 for certain lands in Macon County. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1401, S. B. 1126, bill to amend section nine of the Private Laws of 1903, that the Chief of Police, Water Superintendent, Plumbing Inspector and Sanitary Inspector of the city of Asheville be elected by popular vote. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1398, S. B. 891, bill to amend and consolidate the laws relating to the protection of quail in Iredell County, for concurrence in House amendment. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1380, S. B. 1127, bill to provide for the election by the people of a Tax Collector for Salisbury Township, Rowan County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1382, S. B. 1128, bill relating to female convicts in Rowan County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1375, S. B. 1129, bill to protect game, at Cape Hatteras, Dare County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1381, S. B. 1130, bill to reduce the commissions of the Sheriff of Rowan County on county taxes. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1369, S. B. 1131, bill to construct a graded road in Ashe County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1368, S. B. 1132, bill to provide for the working of the public roads in Chowan County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1355, S. B. 1133, bill to pay the Sheriff of Wayne County a salary in addition to the fees he now receives. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1210, S. B. 747, bill to incorporate the town of Atlantic in Carteret County, for concurrence in House amendment. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 590, S. B. 1134, bill to amend chapter 220 of Private Laws of 1901, entitled an act to incorporate the Rutherfordton, Hickory Nut Gap and Asheville Railway. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

H. B. 1383, S. B. 1135, bill to provide a system for the keeping up and making, building and repairing of the public roads and bridges in Pamlico County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1360, S. B. 1136, bill to provide for the construction and repair of the public roads of Robeson County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1389, S. B. 1137, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Haywood County to levy a special tax to pay off special and specific indebtedness and for the purpose of building a bridge and constructing and working the public roads of Haywood County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1183, S. B. 1138, bill to provide for better working of the public roads and highways in Currituck County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1164, S. B. 1139, bill to amend section 1275 of The Code, regulating fees of Register of Deeds of Nash County. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1231, S. B. 1140, bill to provide for a dispensary election in the city of Winston, Forsyth County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1272, S. B. 784, bill to prohibit any tannery or tannic acid plant from discharging waste matter in Richland Creek above Waynesville. Placed upon the Calendar, for concurrence in House amendment.

H. B. 1523, S. B. 1141, bill for the relief of the Overseers in Scuppernong Township, Washington County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1504, S. B. 1142, bill to amend chapter 20, Private Laws of 1893, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Mars Hills. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1501, S. B. 1143, bill to repeal chapter 458 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the Polk County road law. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1497, S. B. 1144, bill to amend chapter 233, Public Laws 1891, making a four-and-half-foot fence a lawful fence in Brunswick County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1472, S. B. 1145, bill to amend chapter 54 of the Private Laws of 1889, concerning the town of Jason in Greene County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1454, S. B. 1146, bill to incorporate the Imperial Trust and Savings Company. Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

H. B. 1455, S. B. 1147, bill for the relief of T. N. Chismond, a school-teacher in Caswell County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1314, S. B. 1148, bill to provide for holding an election in the town of Ayden, Pitt County, on the dispensary question. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1310, S. B. 1149, bill to amend chapter 580, Public Laws of 1899, in regard to Rockingham County road law. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1308, S. B. 1150, bill to repeal chapter 321, Private Laws of 1895, to incorporate the Marion, Linville Falls and Cranberry Turnpike. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1251, S. B. 1151, bill for the better regulating of the manufacture and sale of wine and cider in Tyrrell County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1530, S. B. 1152, bill to incorporate Lenoir College in Catawba County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1120, S. B. 814, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within two miles of Spring Hope Graded School. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1338, S. B. 1086, bill to incorporate Raleigh and Durham Passenger and Power Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

H. B. 1128, S. B. 1087, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson and Yadkin Counties to regulate travel over the public bridges of said counties. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1336, S. B. 1088, bill to protect the bridges and highways of Onslow County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1095, S. B. 1089, bill to incorporate the Humane Society of Washington. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 874, S. B. 1090, bill to prevent the manufacture, sale or shipment of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the county of Graham. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1129, S. B. 1091, bill to amend chapter 70 of the Public Laws of 1893, relating to special tax levy in Henderson County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 989, S. B. 1092, bill requiring Pender County to pay witnesses one-half their lawful fees in cases in which "No true bill" is found. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1346, S. B. 1093, bill to protect game by taxing dogs. Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 1052, S. B. 1094, bill empowering the city of Wilmington to remove unsafe buildings. Referred to the Committee on Public Grounds.

H. B. 1051, S. B. 1095, bill empowering the city of Wil-

mington to establish a public library. Referred to the Committee on Library.

H. B. 1053, S. B. 1096, bill to provide a salary for the Board of Aldermen of the city of Wilmington. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 981, S. B. 1097, bill to amend chapter 286 of the Public Laws of 1899, for the working and improvement of public roads in Watauga County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1076, S. B. 1098, bill to amend the charter of the town of Hendersonville in Henderson County, giving the commissioners power to organize a chain-gang in said town and to provide for the election of a tax collector by a vote of the people. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1352, S. B. 1099, bill authorizing the County Commissioners of Transylvania County to levy a special tax. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1027, S. B. 1100, bill to amend chapter 352, Private Laws of 1897, to empower the Board of Aldermen of the city of Monroe to levy and collect tax from insurance companies doing business in said city and on venders of cider and other drinks. Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 1290, S. B. 1101, bill to incorporate the town of Highland in Catawba County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1219, S. B. 1102, bill in regard to the stock law in a portion of Faison Township, Duplin County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1198, S. B. 1103, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Franklinton. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1188, S. B. 1104, bill to amend chapter 103, Private Laws 1903, relative to incorporation of North Carolina Min-

ing, Manufacturing and Development Company. Referred to the Committee on Mining.

H. B. 1185, S. B. 1105, bill to incorporate the town of Hudson in Caldwell County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 927, S. B. 1106, bill to empower the town of Winton in Hertford County to issue bonds for improvement of its streets. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 926, S. B. 1107, bill to incorporate the Winton High Graded School (public). The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 435, S. B. 1108, bill to amend charter of the town of Maxton in Robeson County, chapter 25, Private Laws of 1887. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1532, S. B. 1109, bill to re-enact and amend chapter 302, Private Laws of 1901, relative to the Halifax and Northampton Bridge Company. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1539, S. B. 1110, bill to incorporate Sandy Ridge Public School District No. 10 for the white race in Buford Township, Union County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 824, S. B. 508, bill to provide a short form of crop lien applicable to Scotland County, Northampton, Davidson and Franklin Counties, and amending chapter 329, Public Laws of 1901. The bill is placed upon the Calendar for concurrence.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 1169, S. B. 947, an act to establish graded schools in the town of Aulander and for other purposes.

H. B. 510, S. B. 530, an act for the relief of W. M. Watson, Clerk Superior Court Craven County.

H. B. 1020, S. B. 928, an act to amend section 2017 of The Code, so as to allow the Overseers in Fruitville Township in Currituck County ten days instead of six to work their public roads.

H. B. 1111, S. B. 942, an act to protect the stock in the vicinity of Winterville.

H. B. 1032, S. B. 756, an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Harnett County.

H. B. 921, S. B. 986, an act to amend the charter of the town of Clyde in Haywood County.

H. B. 519, S. B. 382, an act to prohibit the shooting, killing and netting of fish in Goodwin's mill-pond, Perquimans County.

H. B. 982, S. B. 906, an act to amend the public school law relative to Friendship Graded School in Coble Township, Alamance County, North Carolina.

H. B. 360, S. B. 541, an act to amend chapter 191, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to restore local self-government in Perquimans County.

H. B. 1064, S. B. 933, an act to better protect the public travel of Gates and Hertford Counties.

H. B. 1246, S. B. 1031, an act to amend chapter 366 of the Public Laws of 1901, by providing that the chain-gang of Union County may be worked on the streets of Monroe in event the Monroe Township road fund should at any time become exhausted.

H. B. 1065, S. B. 932, an act for the relief of J. F. McCubbins, Clerk of Rowan County Superior Court.

H. B. 222, S. B. 836, an act for regulating the time for holding the Superior Courts of Franklin County.

H. B. 1132, S. B. 1024, an act to incorporate the town of Patterson in the county of Caldwell.

H. B. 786, S. B. 941, an act to establish the Mooresville Graded School District.

H. B. 884, S. B. 1029, an act to define the limits and establish a graded school at Smithfield in Johnston County.

H. B. 776, S. B. 693, an act to protect landlords and tenants in certain counties.

H. B. 1182, S. B. 1025, an act to regulate hunting of wild fowl in Currituck Sound.

H. B. 1046, S. B. 1019, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Hertford County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 559, S. B. 402, an act to repeal chapter 575 of Public Laws of 1903, relative to seining in Little River in Mark's Creek and Little River Townships in Wake County.

H. B. 834, S. B. 766, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to fund its debts and to levy tax for the payment of same.

H. B. 515, S. B. 587, an act to prevent the fishing with nets and seine in Stony Creek in Hertford County between the railroad bridge across said creek and the lower boundaries of the lands of W. E. Sessoms and Mrs. T. T. Holloman.

H. B. 88, S. B. 501, an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Greene County.

H. B. 872, S. B. 926, an act to provide for a special tax election in Eureka Public School District in Moore County.

H. B. 923, S. B. 1016, an act to amend the charter of the town of Lillington.

H. B. 59, S. B. 329, an act to abolish the office of Standard-keeper in Currituck County.

H. B. 745, S. B. 696, an act to prevent the sale of meats of diseased animals.

H. B. 612, S. B. 513, an act to amend the charter of the town of LaGrange and to revise and consolidate all laws in relation to said town.

H. B. 915, S. B. 855, an act to incorporate Andrews School District Number Four, in Cherokee County.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting the following bill, which is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

H. B. 500, S. B. 1168, bill to regulate passenger fares on railroads in North Carolina.

A message is received from the House of Representatives returning H. B. 1446, S. B. 887, bill to allow the Commissioners of Bladen County to sell the county farm.

Upon motion of Senator McCulloch, the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered, and the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 824, S. B. 508, bill to provide a short form of crop lien applicable to Scotland, Northampton, Davidson, Halifax and Franklin Counties, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1272, S. B. 784, bill to prohibit any tannery or tannic acid plant from discharging waste matter in the streams of Haywood County, upon concurrence in amendment by House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1210, S. B. 747, bill to incorporate the town of Atlantic in Carteret County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 479, bill to authorize executors and administrators to provide gravestones for deceased persons, upon second reading.

Senator Burton moves to amend:

Amend by adding at the end of section 1 the following: "Provided, that no amount shall be invested for such a purpose without the written consent of the widow, if any, and a majority of the distributees, legatees and devisees of the testator or intestate."

Amend by striking out section 2 and 3, and number section 4 as section 2.

Upon motion of Senator Bragaw, the bill is re-referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 32, S. B. 307, bill to repeal chapter 349, Public Laws of 1903, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator McLean, the bill is made special order for Monday, February 27th, at 12 o'clock.

H. B. 412, S. B. 370, bill to relieve the Board of Agriculture from contributing to the current expenses of the A. and M. College, as recommended by Governor Aycock in his message of January, 1905, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is made a special order for Tuesday, February 28th, at 12 o'clock.

S. B. 553, bill to amend chapter 548, Public Laws of 1903, increasing the salary of brigadier generals, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is made a special order for Tuesday, February 28th, at 12 o'clock.

S. B. 807, bill to pay Solicitors of the State a stipulated salary instead of fees, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the bill is made special order for Tuesday, February 28th, at 12 o'clock.

S. B. 1002, bill to prevent delivery of intoxicating liquors

in prohibition territory to persons under fictitious names, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, the bill is made special order for Monday, February 27th, at 12 o'clock.

H. B. 495, S. B. 1055, bill to define place of sale of intoxicating liquors in North Carolina, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator McLean, the bill is made special order for Monday, February 27th, at 12 o'clock.

S. B. 408, bill to protect game in Surry County, upon second reading.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 595, S. B. 452, bill to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1903, for the purpose of paying one-half fees to officers and witnesses in cases where "Not a true bill is found," upon second reading.

Senator Grady moves to amend:

Amend by adding Sampson County.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 777, bill to appropriate and consolidate the annual appropriations to the Moore's Creek Battle-ground Association, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 791, bill to amend chapter 171, Public Laws, relating to Pike School District in Cumberland and Robeson Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 798, bill to amend section 1050 of The Code, Laws of 1899, chapter 355, relative to sale and manufacture of liquor in Iredell County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1120, S. B. 814, bill to prohibit manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within two miles of Spring Hope Public School building, upon second reading.

Senator Williams moves to refer to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

The motion is lost.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1014, S. B. 833, bill to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in Raleigh, and to prevent frauds committed thereat, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 873, bill to re-establish County Line Public School District in the counties of Forsyth and Guilford, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 889, bill to amend chapter 536, Public Laws of 1903, regulating life insurance companies, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 905, S. B. 899, bill to incorporate Leaksville-Spray Academy in the town of Leaksville, Rockingham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1158, bill to abolish pilotage laws of North Carolina relating to the Cape Fear River, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 965, bill to amend charter of the city of Fayetteville, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

S. B. 966, bill to amend chapter 348, Public Laws of 1899, regulating toll rates on the Mulberry Gap Road, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1165, S. B. 984, bill to amend chapter 325, Laws of 1903, regarding the sale of concentrated commercial feed stuffs, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1220, S. B. 1017, bill to authorize the Treasurer of the School Fund of Duplin County to pay off all outstanding claims against the county board of education of said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1166, S. B. 985, bill to amend and make more effective chapter 86, Laws of 1899, as supplemented by chapter 369, Laws of 1899, to prevent the sale of adulterated and misbranded food, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1112, S. B. 988, bill to regulate the hunting of quail and other game birds in the county of Edgecombe, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1045, bill relating to the office of Treasurer of Henderson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1012, S. B. 989, bill to secure compulsory school attendance in Raleigh Township, Wake County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 422, S. B. 990, bill to regulate the appointment and duties of a Cotton-weigher for the town of Dunn in Harnett County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 995, bill to amend public road law of Scotland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1008, bill to amend chapter 125, Public Laws of 1903, known as the prohibition law of Cumberland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1009, bill to protect game in Carteret County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1196, S. B. 1030, bill to prohibit putting sawdust in certain streams in Ashe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1044, bill to incorporate the Methodist Protestant College of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1047, bill to prevent the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within five miles of White Oak Academy, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1049, bill to add to the limits of the present stock law territory of Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1051, bill to provide for turning into the general fund of the county one-half of the profits of dispensaries of Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1195, S. B. 1060, bill to prohibit fishing in North fork of New River in Ashe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 546, S. B. 1056, bill to amend chapter 503, Public Laws of 1903, regulating the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1062, bill to amend chapter 195, Public Laws of 1899, so as to change the corporate limits of the town of Tarboro and redistrict the same, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1064, bill to amend chapter 39, Private Laws of 1903, relative to bonds authorized to be issued by Mt. Olive Graded School District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1078, S. B. 1021, bill to amend chapter 416, Public Laws of 1901, relating to stock law in part of Lillington Township in Harnett County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 196, bill concerning building and loan associations, upon second reading.

Senator Scales moves to amend:

Amend by adding at end of section 28 the following words: "Provided, the charters of all building and loan associations heretofore organized are hereby in all respects validated and confirmed, and all such associations shall have all powers and privileges of associations formed under this act."

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1398, S. B. 891, bill to amend and consolidate the laws relating to the protection of quail in Iredell County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 559, bill to amend chapter 89, Public Laws of 1901, relating to elections, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1072, bill to authorize the Treasurer of the School Fund of Bladen County to pay off the outstanding claims against the county board of education of said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1074, bill to repeal chapter 25, Public Laws of 1903, and to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, providing for holding courts in the Eighth Judicial District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 962, S. B. 722, bill to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the city of Hickory to donate $10,000 to the city graded school, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1066, bill to make certain and establish the line between Bladen and Cumberland Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 746, bill to amend section 13, chapter 89, Acts of 1901, known as the election law, upon second reading.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 255, bill to provide for building Hall of Records and History, State Library, offices of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Insurance Commissioner and Adjutant-General, Arsenal, Legislative Committees and Storage Rooms, upon second reading.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

Senator Foushee moves to amend:

Amend by striking out section .., authorizing the issue of $100,000 in bonds and insert "$100,000, to be paid by the State Treasurer."

The amendment is lost.

Senator Burton moves to amend:

Amend by striking out $100,000 and inserting "$50,000, to be paid by the State Treasurer."

The amendment is lost.

Senator Pearson calls for the ayes and noes.

The call is sustained.

The bill fails to pass second reading, ayes 16, noes 24, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Bragaw, Coxe, Fleming, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Turner, Turrentine, Watkins, Webb, Wright—16.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Long of Iredell, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Vann, Williams, Zollicoffer—24.

H. B. 1282, S. B. 1037, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1313, S. B. 1032, bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Granville County to refund the bonded indebtedness of Oxford and Salem Townships, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1081, S. B. 1057, bill to amend and consolidate the charter of Dunn, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1017, S. B. 827, bill to incorporate the Graham County Railroad Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1116, S. B. 959, bill to form a special public school district in Cumberland County for the white race, to be known as the Rock Fish District, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1015, bill to permit the Board of Public Works of Tarboro to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1050, bill for the betterment of the public roads of Pitt County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1073, bill to amend the charter of the city of Kinston, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

S. B. 1013, bill to amend chapter 378, Private Laws of 1901, authorizing special tax in Edgecombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

S. B. 1068, bill to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the town of Greenville in Pitt County to borrow money not to exceed ten thousand dollars for the purpose of establishing a sewerage system for said town, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

S. B. 1067, bill to compel the Commissioners of Mitchell County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

S. B. 1084, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for the purpose of building a court-house, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton,

Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

S. B. 887, H. B. 1446, bill to allow the County Commissioners of Bladen County to sell the county farm, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

H. B. 1283, S. B. 1038, bill to place certain territory in Chatham County under the stock law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

S. B. 866, bill to empower the Commissioners of New Hanover County to issue bonds for road improvements, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 32, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Foushee, Grady, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Wright—32.

Upon motion of Senator Arendell, the Senate adjourns until 10 o'clock Monday.

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## FORTY-SEVENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 27, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. R. F. Bumpas of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports from standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 701, bill to amend section 5, chapter 23, Laws of 1889, to validate certain instruments acknowledged before vice-consuls. The committee reports a substitute, and recommends its passage.

From the Committee on Finance:

By Senator Long of Person, H. B. 634, S. B. 496, bill for the relief of John W. Reily, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1074, S. B. 496, bill for the relief of James A. Logan, late Treasurer of Yadkin County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1001, bill relating to listing of personal property held in trust for taxation, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1288, S. B. 978, bill to authorize V. A. Martin, tax collector, to collect taxes in arrears in the town of East Bend

and in East Bend Graded School District, Yadkin County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 680, bill to allow Robert James to peddle without license, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Wright, H. B. 838, S. B. 905, bill for the relief of James D. Justice, former Tax Collector of the town of Rutherfordton, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 118, S. B. 937, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Yadkin County to use surplus county funds to improve court-house and jail, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Fish and Fisheries:

By Senator Vann, H. B. 964, S. B. 981, bill to protect fish in Yancey County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Long of Iredell, H. B. 299, S. B. 1034, bill to regulate the manner in which common carriers doing business in this State shall adjust freight charges and claims for lost and damaged freight, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 913, S. B. 832, bill to incorporate the Asheville and Burnsville Railroad Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 572, S. B. 1040, bill to incorporate the Dobson Railway Company. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

S. B. 997, bill to amend section 1985 of The Code, relative to sale of unclaimed freight, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1289, S. B. 1122, bill to authorize a right of way to establish a street railway from Hickory to Catawba Springs in Catawba County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

H. B. 1109, S. B. 951, bill to incorporate the Cliffside Railway Company. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

H. B. 590, S. B. 1134, bill to amend chapter 220, Private Laws of 1901, incorporating the Rutherford, Hickory Nut Gap and Asheville Railway Company, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 970, bill to amend chapter 297, Private Laws of 1901, to amend charter of Atlantic and Northwestern Railway Company, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Miller, H. B. 1171, S. B. 1061, bill to provide a better system for working the public roads of Jones County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1252, S. B. 1112, bill to better regulate the working of the public roads in Tyrrell County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1139, S. B. 1058, bill to incorporate the Junaluska Turnpike Company in Watauga County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1128, S. B. 1087, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson and Yadkin Counties to regulate travel over bridges in said counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Moore, S. B. 1155, bill to establish a free ferry across the Cape Fear River at Tar Heel Landing, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1368, S. B. 1132, bill to provide for working the public roads of Chowan County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1183, S. B. 1138, bill to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways in Currituck County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1501, S. B. 1143, bill to repeal chapter 458, Public Laws of 1903, relative to Polk County road law, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1309, S. B. 1033, bill to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds and levy special taxes for improving and repairing the roads of said county, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 1383, S. B. 1135, bill to provide a system for keeping up, making, building and repairing public roads and bridges of Pamlico County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 1168, S. B. 1059, bill to amend section 9, chapter 420, Public Laws of 1903, relating to discontinuing the use of public roads in Cabarrus County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1523, S. B. 1141, bill for the relief of Overseers in Scuppernong Township, Washington County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1336, S. B. 1088, bill to protect bridges and highways in Onslow County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Watkins, S. B. 1083, bill to amend chapter 72, Private Laws of 1899, incorporating the town of Sylva, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 435, S. B. 1108, bill to amend charter of the town of Maxton, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1198, S. B. 1103, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Franklinton, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1380, S. B. 1127, bill to provide for election by the people of a Tax Collector for Salisbury Township, Rowan County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1053, S. B. 1096, bill to provide a salary for the Board of Aldermen of the city of Wilmington, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1290, S. B. 1101, bill to incorporate the town of Highlands in Catawba County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Vann, H. B. 1161, S. B. 950, bill to amend charter of the city of Salisbury, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1504, S. B. 1142, bill to amend chapter 20, Private Laws of 1903, to incorporate the town of Mars Hill, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 116, S. B. 148, bill to incorporate the town of Macon in Warren County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, H. B. 1185, S. B. 1105, bill to incorporate the town of Hudson in Caldwell County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Vann, S. B. 1153, bill to amend chapter 83, Private Laws of 1899, to incorporate the city of New Bern, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McLean, H. B. 1300, S. B. 1119, bill to repeal a portion of chapter 142, Private Laws of 1897, relative to allowing the voters of Carthage, Moore County, to vote bonds for water-works and electric light plants, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 1161, bill to change the boundary line of Alleghany and Wilkes Counties, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1532, S. B. 1109, bill to re-enact and amend chapter 302, Private Laws of 1903, relative to Halifax and Northampton Bridge Company, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1409, S. B. 1118, bill to amend chapter 239, Private Laws of 1889, to amend charter of the town of Murphy in Cherokee County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 863, S. B. 589, bill to amend charter of the city of Asheville. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

S. B. 1171, bill to amend charter of the city of Greensboro, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Judicial Districts:

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 937, S. B. 955, bill to fix and regulate the time for holding courts of Sixth Judicial District, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Appropriations:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 355, bill to establish a State Laboratory of Hygiene. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Justices of the Peace:

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 1169, bill for the relief of J. H. Hamrick, a justice of the peace of Rutherford County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Mason of Northampton, H. B. 842, S. B. 940, bill to amend chapter 240, Private Laws of 1899, relating to the charter of the Trans-Appalachian Railroad System, with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Empie, H. B. 1026, S. B. 824, bill to provide for the enlargement of libraries in the schools of rural districts, is withdrawn from the Committee on Library and referred to the Committee on Education.

## PETITIONS.

Petitions are presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Fleming, by request, petition from the citizens of Fountain in Pitt County to reduce the corporate limits of said town. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Fleming, by request, petition from citizens of Pactolus in Pitt County to divide the town into two towns. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Fleming, by request, petition from citizens of Pactolus in Pitt County, against dividing the town. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Foushee:

*Resolved by the Senate:* Section 1. That the rules be suspended and that for the remainder of this session the chairman and three members of any committee shall constitute a quorum. Section 2. That the Senate meet at 9:30 A. M. instead of 10 A. M. The resolution is referred to the Committee on Rules.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 1276, bill to protect game in Morehead Township, Carteret County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 1277, bill in regard to cleaning out Haw River in Rockingham County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 1278, bill to incorporate the Asheville Brokerage and Investment Company. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Aaron, by request, S. B. 1279, bill to amend chapter 174, Private Laws of 1899, to amend charter of Kenansville in Duplin County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 1280, bill to amend chapter 263, Public Laws of 1903, relative to Spring Graded Schools in Alamance County. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Alexander, S. B. 1281, bill to correct an error in an act to provide for working the public roads of Rutherford County. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Boddie, by request, S. B. 1282, bill to protect fish in Ben M. Moore's or William A. Alford's pond in Franklin County. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Boddie, S. B. 1283, bill to empower the Sheriff

of Franklin County to collect arrears in taxes. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Shaw, S. B. 1284, bill to create a new township in Robeson County. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Aaron, by request, S. B. 1285, bill to revive and incorporate the Grove Academy at Kenansville, N. C. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 1286, bill to incorporate the Love Trust Company. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Senator Williams, by request, S. B. 1287, bill to amend chapter 64, Private Laws of 1893, ratified February 28th. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Williams, by request, S. B. 1288, bill to amend chapter 310, Private Laws of 1891, relative to mining. Referred to Committee on Mining.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 1289, bill to protect the public roads of Durham County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Boddie, by request, S. B. 1290, bill to allow the Camden Ferry Company to erect a draw-bridge on the Pasquotank River. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Fleming, by request, S. B. 1291, bill to reduce the corporate limits of the town of Fountain in Pitt County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Somers, S. B. 1292, bill for the relief of Dr. C. L. Cook of Wilkes County. Referred to Committee on Public Health.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 1293, bill to extend the corporate limits of the city of Asheville. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 1294, bill to increase the number of County Commissioners of Gaston County. Placed upon the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 497, S. B. 221, bill to amend chapter 733, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the negotiable instrument law and making the same uniform, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 605, H. B. 1214, bill to establish a special local tax school district in portions of Pitt and Lenoir Counties, upon the Calendar for order.

The bill having passed its several readings in both houses of the General Assembly it is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 701, bill to amend section 5, chapter 23, Laws 1889, to validate certain instruments acknowledged before vice-consuls, upon second reading.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The amendment to the substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1074, S. B. 983, bill for the relief of James A. Logan, Treasurer of Yadkin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1001, bill relating to listing for taxation personal property held in trust, upon second reading.

The bill having an unfavorable recommendation it is tabled.

H. B. 1288, S. B. 978, bill to authorize V. A. Martin, tax collector, to collect taxes which are in arrears in the town of East Bend and East Bend Graded School District, Yadkin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 838, S. B. 905, bill for the relief of James D. Justice, former Tax Collector of the town of Rutherfordton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1118, S. B. 937, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Yadkin County to use surplus county funds to improve the court-house and jail, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 964, S. B. 981, bill to protect fish in Yancey County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 299, S. B. 1034, bill to regulate the manner in which common carriers doing business in this State shall adjust freight charges and claims for lost and damaged freight, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and ordered sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 1564, S. B. 971, an act to validate the proof and registration of certain deeds and conveyances of land.

H. B. 1398, S. B. 891, an act to consolidate the laws relating to the protection of quail in Iredell and Catawba Counties.

H. B. 1272, S. B. 784, an act to prohibit any tannery or tannic acid plant from allowing any waste materials to be deposited or discharged into Richland Creek or any of its tributaries in or above the corporate limits of the town of Waynesville.

H. B. 1395, S. B. 886, an act to incorporate "The Christian Orphanage."

H. B. 1166, S. B. 985, an act to amend and make more effective chapter 66, Public Laws of 1899, as supplemented by chapter 369, Public Laws of 1899, to prevent the sale of adulterated and misbranded food.

H. B. 1017, S. B. 827, an act to incorporate the Graham County Railroad Company.

H. B. 1265, S. B. 699, an act to drain the low lands of French Broad River and its tributaries in Henderson County.

H. B. 905, S. B. 899, an act to incorporate Leaksville-Spray Academy in the town of Leaksville in Rockingham County.

H. B. 1442, S. B. 881, an act to amend chapter 17 of the Private Laws of 1903, so as to extend the corporate limits of the town of Shelmerdine, Pitt County.

H. B. 1218, S. B. 598, an act to incorporate the Beaufort and Western Railway Company.

H. B. 1392, S. B. 776, an act to build certain iron bridges in Henderson County and to apply certain road funds.

H. B. 1565, S. B. 860, an act relating to certain deeds executed by corporations of this State.

H. B. 1152, S. B. 299, an act to incorporate "The Wadesborough Public Library."

H. B. 1102, S. B. 731, an act to permit the dispensary towns of Johnston County to vote on question of prohibition.

H. B. 1566, S. B. 996, an act to restore burnt, lost or destroyed records.

H. B. 1394, S. B. 880, an act to protect quail in Cove Creek Township in Watauga County.

H. B. 944, S. B. 504, an act to prohibit dealing in futures in Gaston County.

H. B. 951, S. B. 596, an act to re-establish the office of Treasurer of Richmond County.

H. B. 900, S. B. 525, an act to amend chapter 555 of the

Public Laws of North Carolina of 1903, relating to the stock law of Richmond and Scotland Counties.

H. B. 1330, S. B. 782, an act to authorize the Board of Road Commissioners of Waynesville Township, Haywood County, to pay over to the Board of Aldermen of the town of Waynesville part of the proceeds arising from the sale of bonds for road improvement.

H. B. 1195, S. B. 1060, an act to prohibit fishing in North fork of New River in Ashe County.

H. B. 1158, S. B. 49, an act to amend chapter 584, Public Laws of 1903, and to extend the time for organizing the Southern Electric Power Company.

H. B. 892, S. B. 275, an act to amend section 22 of chapter 164, Public Laws of 1899, with reference to newspaper transportation.

H. B. 1116, S. B. 959, an act to form a special public school district in Cumberland County for the white race, to be known as Rock Fish District.

H. B. 1149, S. B. 554, an act to amend chapter 374 of the Public Laws of 1893, to increase the rank of quartermaster general, etc.

H. B. 1325, S. B. 872, an act for the better support of the public schools of New Hanover County.

H. B. 1112, S. B. 988, an act to regulate the hunting of quail, partridges and other game birds in Edgecombe County.

H. B. 1012, S. B. 989, an act to secure compulsory school attendance in Raleigh Township, Wake County.

H. B. 1078, S. B. 1021, an act to amend chapter four hundred and sixteen, Public Laws of one thousand nine hundred and one, relating to stock law in part of the township of Lillington in Harnett County.

H. B. 1120, S. B. 814, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicants within two miles of the churches and graded schools of Spring Hope, N. C.

H. B. 1220, S. B. 1017, an act to authorize the Treasurer

of the School Fund of Duplin County to pay off the outstanding claims against the county board of education of said county.

H. B. 1153, S. B. 613, an act to amend section six, chapter two hundred and forty-three, Private Laws of one thousand nine hundred and one, being an act establishing graded schools in Mount Olive, North Carolina.

H. B. 996, S. B. 903, an act concerning the hunting of opossums in Lincoln and Harnett Counties.

H. B. 1154, S. B. 706, an act to allow the Commissioners of Person County to expend the surplus railroad tax upon the public roads.

H. B. 1324, S. B. 859, an act to provide a burial place for whites residing at Cooleemee, Davie County.

H. B. 1151, S. B. 678, an act to validate certain amendments to the certificates or articles of incorporation of sundry corporations.

H. B. 950, S. B. 593, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County to fix the compensation of the chairman of said board.

H. B. 1210, S. B. 747, an act to incorporate the town of Atlantic in Carteret County.

H. B. 1014, S. B. 833, an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in the city of Raleigh and to punish frauds committed thereat.

H. B. 1282, S. B. 1037, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 1215, S. B. 679, an act to create a special tax school district in the counties of Sampson and Duplin.

H. B. 1159, S. B. 265, an act to change the time for holding court in the several counties in the Fourteenth Judicial District.

H. B. 1216, S. B. 424, an act to establish graded schools in the Flat Rock Special Tax School District.

H. B. 422, S. B. 990, an act to regulate the appointment and duties of Cotton-weigher for the town of Dunn, Harnett County.

H. B. 1328, S. B. 509, an act to amend chapter one hundred and fifteen, Private Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, being an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Greenville.

H. B. 824, S. B. 508, an act providing a short form of crop lien applicable to Scotland, Northampton, Davidson, Halifax, Franklin and Union Counties, and amending chapter three hundred and twenty-nine, Public Laws of one thousand nine hundred and one.

H. B. 1196, S. B. 1030, an act to prohibit the putting of sawdust into certain streams in Ashe County.

H. B. 546, S. B. 1056, an act to amend chapter five hundred and three of the Public Laws of one thousand nine hundred and three, regulating the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 1209, S. B. 739, an act to amend chapter 129, Private Laws of 1901, relative to the charter of the town of Williamston, North Carolina.

H. B. 1320, S. B. 783, an act to amend the charter of the town of Waynesville.

H. B. 1397, S. B. 780, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Mitchell County to release S. J. Black, ex-Treasurer of Mitchell County, from payment of certain funds.

H. B. 1313, S. B. 1032, an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Granville County to refund the bonded indebtedness of Oxford and Salem Townships.

H. B. 962, S. B. 722, an act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the city of Hickory to donate ten thousand dollars to the city graded schools.

H. H. 1271, S. B. 607, an act to amend the charter of the city of Durham.

H. B. 1318, S. B. 865, an act to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Louisburg to establish a public burying ground.

H. B. 1266, S. B. 744, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Richmond County to issue bonds.

H. B. 1103, S. B. 555, an act to relieve William H. Worth, late Treasurer, of the loss sustained by the failure of the First National Bank of Asheville, the Western Carolina Bank of Asheville and the Bank of Guilford, Greensboro.

H. B. 1269, S. B. 738, an act to amend, revise and consolidate all laws relating to the town of Mount Olive in the county of Wayne.

H. B. 1593, S. B. 1158, an act to abolish the pilotage laws of North Carolina relating to the Cape Fear River.

H. B. 1323, S. B. 677, an act to establish a graded school at Robersonville, North Carolina.

H. B. 1193, S. B. 960, an act to prevent the hunting of quail and partridges in Franklinville Township, Randolph County, without permission.

H. B. 846, S. B. 1018, an act to establish a graded school in the town of Littleton, North Carolina.

H. B. 1268, S. B. 564, an act to amend chapter 109 of the Private Laws of 1887, amending the charter of the town of Falkland in Pitt County.

H. B. 462, S. B. 578, an act to prevent hunting on the lands of another in Currituck County without the written permission of the owner.

H. B. 917, S. B. 929, an act for relief of certain witnesses in Chatham, Rowan and Rutherford Counties.

H. B. 1155, S. B. 751, an act to amend the graded school law of the town of Hendersonville.

H. B. 1270, S. B. 565, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Richmond County to issue township bonds to build public roads in the different townships of said county if voted for by the qualified voters of said townships, and to change the boundary lines of Rockingham Township.

H. B. 1273, S. B. 772, an act to amend chapter 437, Pub-

lic Laws of 1901, regarding the bird law of Henderson County.

H. B. 1322, S. B. 778, an act to amend the charter of the town of Gastonia.

H. B. 1217, S. B. 716, an act to incorporate the "Appalachian Interurban Railroad Company."

H. B. 830, S. B. 1027, an act to amend the charter of the town of Randleman.

H. B. 1385, S. B. 681, an act to ratify, confirm and amend the charter of the Asheville Auditorium Company.

H. B. 1386, S. B. 792, an act to amend chapter 122, Private Laws of 1903, so as to provide a permanent light and water commission for the town of Greenville.

H. B. 1267, S. B. 630, an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of Norwood.

H. B. 1039, S. B. 493, an act to incorporate Watauga Turnpike Company.

H. B. 1390, S. B. 803, an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Southern Pines.

H. R. 1107, S. R. 743, a resolution supplemental to a resolution paying expenses of visiting committee to educational institutions.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Messages are received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1429, S. B. 1174, bill to establish a Board of Permanent Improvement and to enable the town of Elizabeth City to issue bonds. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1408, S. B. 1172, bill to establish the Lucama Graded School in Wilson County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1434, S. B. 1173, bill to charter the Kinston and Cape Fear River Railroad Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1175, S. B. 1417, bill to incorporate the town of Cronly in the county of Columbus. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1426, S. B. 1176, bill to provide additional regulations for working of public roads in Clayton Township, Johnston County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1466, S. B. 1177, bill to establish a graded school at Copeland in Surry County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1413, S. B. 1178, bill to regulate the working of public roads in Alexander County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1490, S. B. 1179, bill protecting people from bear traps and guns in Gates, Pasquotank and Camden Counties. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1492, S. B. 1180, bill to allow the county of Yadkin to issue bonds for an electric railway. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1493, S. B. 1181, bill to establish a new school district in Johnston and Harnett Counties, petition accompanying. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1058, S. B. 1182, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Wake County to pay and fund its floating debt. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 804, S. B. 1183, bill to regulate fishing in Pamlico and Tar Rivers between the first day of March and the first day of May in any year. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 1625, S. B. 1184, bill to amend chapter 43, Public Laws of 1901, in regard to the stock law of Nash County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1049, S. B. 1185, bill empowering the city of Wilmington to establish, construct and maintain parks, public grounds and plazas. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1614, S. B. 1186, bill to correct State grant number 2496 in Macon County. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1626, S. B. 1187, bill to prevent hunting on the lands of another without written permission in Black Creek Township in Randolph County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 379, S. B. 1118, bill as a substitute for House Bill 379, to prevent the dealing in futures. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1610, S. B. 1189, bill to legalize primary elections in New Hanover County. Referred to the Committee on Elections.

H. B. 1608, S. B. 1192, bill to increase the number of Commissioners for Beaufort County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 699, S. B. 1191, bill to repeal the stock law in a portion of New Hanover County and to submit to the voters of that district the question of levying a tax for building a fence. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1597, S. B. 1190, bill to modify an act to prohibit the killing of partridges and quail in Swain County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1606, S. B. 1193, bill to provide for a suitable compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Beaufort County. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 630, S. B. 1194, bill to incorporate the Waynesville Railway and Power Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1023, S. B. 1197, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Onslow County to levy a special tax to pay the bond issue to build a court-house and for other purposes. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 679, S. B. 1196, bill to amend chapter 24 of the

Private Laws of 1889, to incorporate the town of Hot Springs. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1123, S. B. 1198, bill to amend chapter 116 of the Private Laws of 1903, incorporating Caldwell Institute Graded School in Orange County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1344, S. B. 1195, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Franklinton. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1160, S. B. 1199, bill creating a school district in Providence Township, Randolph County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1506, S. B. 1200, bill to amend chapter 55 of the Private Laws of 1903, in relation to the furnishing of wines and liquors to the guests of the Toxaway Hotels. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1177, S. B. 1201, bill to incorporate the Southport and Western Railway Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1479, S. B. 1202, bill to incorporate the Ahoskie Graded School District in Hertford County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1607, S. B. 1203, bill to provide a suitable compensation for the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1236, S. B. 1204, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Hertford and to issue bonds. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1089, S. B. 1205, bill to incorporate First Battalion Rifle Range Association and for the promotion of small arms practice in the organized and reserve militia of North Carolina. Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

H. B. 1478, S. B. 1206, bill to incorporate the town of Cornelius. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1630, S. B. 1207, bill to protect game and fish in Watauga County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1406, S. B. 1208, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Carteret County to levy a special tax and authorize the sale of the present jail. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1301, S. B. 1209, bill to amend chapter 194 of the Private Acts of the General Assembly of the year 1897, relating to the charter of the town of Southern Pines and for other purposes. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1619, S. B. 1210, bill concerning fowls running at large in Chatham County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1612, S. B. 1211, bill to make a certain glade or swamp in Pamlico County a lawful fence. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1624, S. B. 1212, bill to regulate the pay of the Commissioners of Nash County. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1509, S. B. 1213, bill to repeal chapter 493, Public Laws 1893, repealing a law requiring a special license from County Commissioners to hunt game in Brunswick County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1524, S. B. 1214, bill amending chapter 268, Private Laws of 1903, relative to the town of Pactolus, amending the charter of said town. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1526, S. B. 1215, bill to provide for the adoption of an official map for the town of Lumberton. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1527, S. B. 1216, bill to provide for the repair of the public streets of the town of Lumberton. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 856, S. B. 1217, bill to establish a stock law territory in Beaufort County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1048, S. B. 1218, bill empowering the city of Wilmington to pave and improve its streets and sidewalks in said city. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1402, S. B. 1219, bill to authorize the Suffolk and Carolina Railway Company to construct one or more lines of railroad in the counties of Tyrrell and Hyde, or either of them, and to authorize the said counties of Tyrrell and Hyde and each of them to subscribe to the capital stock of said Suffolk and Carolina Railway Company, and to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay for the said subscription. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1542, S. B. 1220, bill to allow the Board of Commissioners of Yancey County to levy a special tax. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1379, S. B. 1221, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Mocksville, N. C. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1317, S. B. 1222, bill to create a charter for Elizabeth City. The bill is placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1345, S. B. 1223, bill to provide good roads in Franklinton Township, Franklin County. The bill is placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 479, S. B. 221, bill to amend chapter 733 of Public Laws of 1899, entitled an act relating to negotiable instruments law and making the same uniform, for concurrence. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1214, S. B. 605, bill to establish a special local tax school district of a portion of Pitt and Lenoir Counties. Placed upon the Calendar for order.

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

H. B. 1289, S. B. 1122, bill to authorize a right of way to establish a street railway company from Hickory to Catawba Springs in Catawba County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1109, S. B. 951, bill to incorporate the Cliffside Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 590, S. B. 1134, bill to amend chapter 220, Private Laws of 1901, to incorporate the Rutherford, Hickory Nut Gap and Asheville Railway Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 970, bill to amend chapter 297, Private Laws of 1901, to amend charter of the Atlantic and Northwestern Railway Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1252, S. B. 1112, bill to better regulate the working of the public roads in Tyrrell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1139, S. B. 1058, bill to incorporate the Junaluska Turnpike Company in Watauga County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1128, S. B. 1087, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson and Yadkin Counties to regulate travel over bridges in said counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1155, bill to establish a free ferry across the Cape Fear River at Tar Heel Landing, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1183, S. B. 1138, bill to provide for better working the public roads of Currituck County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1168, S. B. 1059, bill to amend section 9, chapter 420, Public Laws of 1903, relating to discontinuing the use of public roads in Cabarrus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1523, S. B. 1141, bill for the relief of Overseers in Scuppernong Township, Washington County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1336, S. B. 1088, bill to protect bridges and highways in Onslow County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1053, S. B. 1096, bill to provide a salary for the Board of Aldermen of the city of Wilmington, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 937, S. B. 955, bill to fix and regulate the time for holding the courts of Sixth Judicial District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1300, S. B. 1119, bill to repeal a portion of chapter 142, Private Laws of 1897, relative to allowing the voters of Carthage, Moore County, to vote bonds for water-works and electric light plant, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1161, bill to change the boundary line of Alleghany and Wilkes Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1532, S. B. 1109, bill to re-enact and amend chapter 302, Private Laws of 1903, relative to Halifax and Northampton Bridge Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1409, S. B. 1118, bill to amend chapter 239, Private Laws of 1899, to amend charter of the town of Murphy in Cherokee County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 355, bill to establish a State Laboratory of Hygiene, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1169, bill for the relief of J. H. Hamrick, justice of the peace of Rutherford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 842, S. B. 940, bill to amend chapter 240, Private Laws of 1899, relating to the charter of the Trans-Appalachian Railway System, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 644, S. B. 531, bill to prohibit fishing in the mill-pond of W. K. Phillips in Wake and Franklin Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 887, H. B. 1446, bill to allow the County Commissioners of Bladen County to sell the county farm, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright —40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 866, bill to empower the Commissioners of New Hanover County to issue bonds for road improvements, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins Webb, Williams, Wright —40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1084, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for the purpose of building a court-house, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1068, bill to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the town of Greenville in Pitt County to borrow money, not to exceed ten thousand dollars, for the purpose of establishing a sewerage system for said town, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Williams, Wright—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1037, bill to compel the Commissioners of Mitchell County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor,

Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1013, bill to amend chapter 378, Private Laws of 1901, authorizing special tax in Edgecombe County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1073, bill to amend the charter of the city of Kinston, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1038, H. B. 1283, bill to place certain territory in Chatham County under the stock law, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton,

Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams—40.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1166, bill authorizing the city of Statesville to call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for the graded school and other purposes, upon second reading.

Senator Long moves to amend:

Amend by striking out section three.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill as amended passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams—40.

S. B. 1040, bill to incorporate the Dobson Railway Company, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Tay-

lor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

H. B. 913, S. B. 832, bill to incorporate the Asheville and Burnsville Railway Company, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

S. B. 927, H. B. 1105, bill to empower the town of Winton in Hertford County to issue bonds for the improvement of its streets, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

H. B. 926, S. B. 1107, bill to incorporate the Winton High Graded School, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason

of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Toms, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

H. B. 1352, S. B. 1099, bill to authorize the County Commissioners of Transylvania County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stubbs, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

S. B. 1105, H. B. 1185, bill to incorporate the town of Hudson in Caldwell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

H. B. 116, S. B. 148, bill to incorporate the town of Macon in Warren County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason

of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams—40.

H. B. 1161, S. B. 950, bill to amend the charter of the town of Salisbury, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

H. B. 1360, S. B. 1136, bill to provide for the construction and repair of the public roads of Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

S. B. 976, H. B. 1556, bill to amend chapter 4 of the Laws of 1901, and chapter 435 of the Public Laws of 1903, and other laws relating to the public school law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

H. B. 1171, S. B. 1061, bill for working of the public roads in Jones County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

S. B. 1036, H. B. 1309, bill to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for improving and repairing the roads of said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

S. B. 1132, H. B. 1368, bill to provide for the working of the public roads in Chowan County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

H. B. 1383, S. B. 1135, bill to provide a system for the keeping up, making, building and repairing of the public roads and bridges in Pamlico County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Duls, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

H. B. 1290, S. B. 1101, bill to incorporate the town of Highlands in Catawba County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

S. B. 1108, H. B. 435, bill to amend the charter of the town of Maxton in Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

S. B. 1103, H. B. 1198, bill to revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Franklinton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

S. B. 1171, bill to amend the charter of the city of Greensboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—40.

S. B. 1083, bill to amend chapter 72, Private Laws of 1899, to incorporate the town of Sylva, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1164, bill for the division of the liquor tax of New Hanover County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1159, bill to change the name of Freeman's Township in Franklin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1167, bill to authorize the city of Wilmington to establish an industrial school, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 698, bill to amend the charter of the A. and N. C. Railroad Company, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the bill is re-referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1389, S. B. 1127, bill to provide for the election by the people of a Tax Collector for Salisbury Township, Rowan County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1282, bill to protect fish in Ben M. Moore's or William A. Alford's mill-pond in Franklin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1284, bill to create a new township in Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1285, bill to incorporate Grove Academy at Kenansville, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1204, bill to increase the number of County Commissioners of Gaston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1283, bill to empower the Sheriff of Franklin County to collect arrears in taxes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1290, bill to allow Camden Ferry Company to erect a draw-bridge on Pasquotank River, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour the President lays before the Senate H. B. 32, S. B. 307, bill to repeal chapter 349, Public Laws of 1903, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

It being a special order for this hour the President lays before the Senate S. B. 1002, bill to prevent the delivery of intoxicating liquors in prohibition territory to persons under fictitious names, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

It being a special order for this hour the President lays before the Senate H. B. 495, S. B. 1055, bill to define the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in the State of North Carolina, upon second reading.

Senator Arendell moves to amend:

Amend by striking out Perquimans from the excepted counties.

The amendment is adopted.
Senator Williams moves to amend:

Amend by including in the exceptions the county of Davidson.

The amendment is adopted.
Senator Grady moves to amend:

Amend by striking out Sampson County.

The amendment is adopted.
Senator Turrentine moves to amend:

Amend this bill by excluding the county of Alamance from the operation of the anti-jug law.

The amendment is adopted.
Senator Moore moves to amend:

Amend by adding Pender.

The amendment is adopted.
Senator Taylor moves to amend:

Amend by adding after the word "Alleghany" in line 5 of section 2 the words "Ashe and Watauga."

The amendment is adopted.
Senator Arendell moves to amend:

Strike out Hyde in section 2, line 5.

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Pearson moves to amend:

Amend by including Burke County among excepted counties.

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Bryan moves to amend:

Amend by striking out the county of Madison from the exceptions.

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Thorne moves to amend:

Amend by striking out Halifax.

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Wright moves to amend:

Amend by adding after the word "Rowan" in section 2, "except the town of Spencer and East Spencer."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator McCulloch moves to amend:

Amend by adding after the word Columbus "except Lake Waccamaw, Pine Bluff, Whiteville and Chadbourn."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Arendell moves to amend:

Amend by adding after the word "Lenoir" in line 9, "except Kinston Township."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Toms moves to amend:

Amend by striking out all reference to Henderson County in amendments thereto, and add in place thereof the words "this act shall apply to the county of Henderson."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Boddie moves to amend:

Amend by making provisions of this act apply to Manning Township, Nash County.

The amendment is adopted.

Senator McLean moves to amend:

Amend by striking out all of section 2 after the word "act" in line 4.

The amendment is lost.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received and read from His Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Alexander, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as properly engrossed, and it is ordered to be sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 965, bill to amend charter of the city of Fayetteville.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting H. B. 1535, S. B. 1295, bill to amend chapter 551, Public Laws of 1903, and section 16, chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, to facilitate road improvement in Wake County. The bill is read the first time and referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting H. B. 1357, S. B. 1296, bill to amend chapter

170, Private Laws of 1903, to incorporate the city of Washington, which is read the first time and placed upon the Calendar.

A message is received from the House of Representatives returning S. B. 976, bill to amend chapter 4, Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 435, Public Laws of 1903, and other laws relating to the public school law, which is placed upon the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

Senator Empie moves to reconsider the vote by which S. B. 255, bill to provide for the erection of a building for Hall of Records and History, State Library, offices for Superintendent of Public Instruction, Insurance Commissioner and Adjutant-General, Legislative Committees and Storage Room, was tabled.

The motion is adopted.

Senator Fleming moves to re-refer the bill to the Committee on Appropriations.

The motion is lost.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 24, noes 16, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—24.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Boyles, Bryan, Crisp, Foushee, Grady, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Pearson, Somers, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Vann, Williams—16.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the Senate adjourns until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

## FORTY-EIGHTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 28, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. F. A. Bishop of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon request, Senator Webb is permitted to withdraw from further consideration of the Senate S. B. 1293, bill to extend corporate limits of the city of Asheville.

### ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Alexander, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills correctly engrossed, and they are ordered sent to the House of Representatives for the concurrence of that body:

S. B. 1055, H. B. 495, bill to define the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in the State of North Carolina.

S. B. 1122, H. B. 1289, bill to authorize a right of way to establish a street railway company from Hickory to Catawba Springs in Catawba County.

### ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 1053, S. B. 1096, an act providing a salary for the Board of Aldermen of the city of Wilmington.

H. B. 705, S. B. 842, an act to provide for additional terms of the Superior Court of Rockingham County.

H. B. 1074, S. B. 983, an act for the relief of James A. Logan, late Treasurer of Yadkin County.

H. B. 1300, S. B. 1119, an act to repeal a portion of chapter 142, Private Laws of 1897, authorizing the Commission-

ers of the town of Carthage to submit to the qualified voters the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of constructing a system of sewerage and water-works and an electric plant for lighting the town.

H. B. 497, S. B. 221, an act to amend chapter seven hundred and thirty-three of the Public Laws of 1899, entitled an act relating to negotiable instrument law and making the same uniform.

H. B. 1437, S. B. 867, an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the city of Hot Springs to levy a special tax.

H. B. 1561, S. B. 974, an act to amend the charter of the town of Farmville.

H. B. 1168, S. B. 1059, an act to amend section 9 of chapter 420 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to public roads of Cabarrus County.

H. B. 1183, S. B. 1138, an act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways in Currituck County.

H. B. 1584, S. B. 1142, an act to amend chapter 20, Private Laws of 1893, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Mars Hill.

H. B. 1118, S. B. 937, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Yadkin County to use the surplus funds to improve the court-house and jail.

H. B. 590, S. B. 1134, an act to amend chapter 220 of the Private Laws of 1901, entitled an act to incorporate the Rutherfordton, Hickory Nut Gap and Asheville Railway.

H. B. 937, S. B. 959, an act to fix and regulate the time for holding the Superior Courts of the Sixth Judicial District.

H. B. 838, S. B. 905, an act for the relief of James D. Justice, former Tax Collector of the town of Rutherfordton.

H. B. 1288, S. B. 978, an act to authorize V. A. Martin, tax collector, to collect the taxes which are in arrears for the year 1903 in the town of East Bend and in East Bend Graded School District in Yadkin County.

H. B. 1523, S. B. 1141, an act for the relief of the Overseers of Scuppernong Township in Washington County.

H. B. 1336, S. B. 1088, an act to protect the bridges and public highways of Onslow County.

H. B. 842, S. B. 940, an act to amend chapter 240, Private Laws of 1899, relating to the charter of the Trans-Appalachian Railway System.

H. B. 1214, S. B. 605, an act to establish a special local tax school district of portions of Pitt and Lenoir Counties.

H. B. 918, S. B. 729, an act for the protection of birds and other game in Mineral Springs Township and Wolfpit Township, Richmond County.

H. B. 1667, S. B. 873, an act to re-establish County Line Public School District in the counties of Forsyth and Guilford.

H. B. 1580, S. B. 428, an act to permit county commissioners to regulate the speed of automobiles, motor-cycles and other like vehicles on public roads and bridges.

H. B. 1436, S. B. 805, an act to provide for the better working of public roads and highways of Pasquotank County.

H. B. 644, S. B. 531, an act to prohibit fishing in the ponds owned by W. K. Phillips in Franklin and Wake Counties.

H. B. 595, S. B. 452, an act to amend chapter 581 of the Public Laws of 1903, for the purpose of paying half fees to officers and witnesses in cases where "No true bill" is found.

H. B. 1560, S. B. 965, an act to authorize the city of Fayetteville to enlarge its electric light plant and to enable said city to fund its floating indebtedness.

H. B. 1663, S. B. 1047, an act to prohibit the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within five miles of White Oak Academy in Bladen County.

H. B. 653, S. B. 48, an act to amend chapter 28 of the Public Laws of 1901.

H. B. 1585, S. B. 857, an act supplementary to and amend-

atory of chapter 120, Private Laws of 1903, incorporating the Winston-Stuart Turnpike Company.

H. B. 1443, S. B. 890, an act to prevent riding or driving of any beast or vehicle on any public road in Guilford County where any work is being done until such road has been opened up for public use.

H. B. 1128, S. B. 1087, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson and Yadkin Counties to regulate the use of public bridges in said counties.

H. B. 1574, S. B. 1004, an act ratified February 13, 1905, entitled an act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend the charter of the town of Concord," ratified the 22d day of January, 1901, being chapter 9 of the Private Laws of North Carolina.

H. B. 1438, S. B. 39, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Pitt County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 1583, S. B. 869, an act to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at East Durham and West Durham in Durham County, and to prohibit public drunkenness and the sale of cider there.

H. B. 1205, S. B. 700, an act to divide the net proceeds of the dispensaries of Johnston County.

H. B. 1263, S. B. 773, an act to amend chapter 436, of the Public Laws of 1901, relative to the protection of fish in Henderson and Yancey Counties.

H. B. 1532, S. B. 1109, an act to re-enact and amend chapter 302, Private Laws of 1901, relative to the Halifax and Northampton Bridge Company.

H. B. 1139, S. B. 1058, an act to incorporate the Junaluska Turnpike Company.

H. B. 299, S. B. 1034, an act to regulate the manner in which common carriers doing business in this State shall adjust freight charges and claims for loss or damage to freight.

H. B. 1409, S. B. 1118, an act to amend chapter 239, Private Laws 1899, it being an act entitled "An act to amend the charter of the town of Murphy in Cherokee County."

H. B. 964, S. B. 981, an act to protect fish in Yancey County.

H. B. 1515, S. B. 611, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Vance County to issue bonds for road purposes.

H. B. 1444, S. B. 892, an act to permit the County Commissioners or Highway Commissioners of Guilford County to gather material to be used on the public roads beyond the limits of said county.

H. B. 1452, S. B. 800, an act to amend the charter of the town of Laurinburg and to allow the commissioners of said town to issue bonds for the payment of the outstanding indebtedness of said town for the electric light plant and to levy a tax.

H. B. 1165, S. B. 984, an act to amend chapter 325, Public Laws of 1903, regarding the sale of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs.

H. B. 1044, S. B. 481, an act to amend chapter 270, Private Laws of 1901, being act to incorporate the Citizens Bank of Kinston, North Carolina.

H. B. 1279, S. B. 980, an act to reincorporate the Chowan Baptist Female Institute in Hertford County.

H. B. 1563, S. B. 861, an act to amend the charter of the city of New Bern.

H. B. 1380, S. B. 1127, an act to provide for the election of a Tax Collector for Salisbury Township, county of Rowan.

H. B. 1252, S. B. 1112, an act to better regulate the working of the public roads in Tyrrell County.

H. B. 1551, S. B. 1012, an act to amend the charter of the Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Company and to confer upon them additional powers.

H. B. 1575, S. B. 601, an act to provide a method of drawing juries for the Superior Courts of Guilford County.

H. B. 1101, S. B. 654, an act to amend the charter of the Bank of Leaksville, Rockingham County.

H. B. 1652, S. B. 995, an act to amend the public road law for Scotland County.

H. B. 1435, S. B. 674, an act to provide for the working of public roads of Surry County and issuing bonds for the same.

H. R. 1552, S. R. 1042, resolution to pay the expenses of joint committee to visit and inspect the oyster grounds of the State.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 1427, S. B. 1115, bill for the protection of foxes in Alleghany County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1314, S. B. 1148, bill to provide for holding elections in the town of Ayden, Pitt County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1163, bill to submit to the qualified voters of Creswell, Washington County, the question of the abolition of the dispensary in said town, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Wright, H. B. 1093, S. B. 1089, bill to incorporate the Humane Society of Washington, N. C. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Turrentine, H. B. 1059, S. B. 934, bill to repeal chapter 814, Public Laws of 1903, so as to provide for stock law in certain portions of Mitchell County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1231, S. B. 1140, bill to provide for dispensary election in the town of Winston in Forsyth County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1497, S. B. 1144, bill to amend chapter 233, Public Laws of 1891, making four-and-a-half-foot fence a lawful fence in Brunswick County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Wright, H. B. 874, S. B. 1090, bill to prevent the sale or shipment of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the county of Graham, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turner, H. B. 1382, S. B. 1128, bill relating to female convicts in Rowan County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Banks and Currency:

By Senator Odell, H. B. 1454, S. B. 1146, bill to incorporate the Imperial Trust and Savings Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 1280, bill to incorporate the Love Trust Company, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Finance:

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 1170, bill to repeal chapter 78, Laws of 1887, so far as it relates to Orange and Durham Counties, changing the time of collecting taxes by distraint, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, H. B. 630, S. B. 1194, bill to incorporate the Waynesville Railway and Power Company, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Wright, H. B. 1177, S. B. 1201, bill to incorporate the Southport and Western Railway Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, H. B. 1233, S. B. 1039, bill to incorporate the Raleigh and Southport Railway Company, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1402, S. B. 1219, bill to authorize the Suffolk and Carolina Railroad Company to build one or more railroads in the counties of Tyrrell and Hyde. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 698, bill to amend charter of the A. and N. C. Railroad Company. The committee reports this bill unfavorably because the notice of amendment to the charter has not been given as required by the Constitution of the State, article 2, section 12.

Senator Foushee withdraws the minority report.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 414, S. B. 851, bill to extend and limit the time for delivery of bonds of Macon County to the Blue Ridge and Atlantic Railway Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Wright, H. B. 500, S. B. 1168, bill to regulate passenger fares on railroads in North Carolina, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1434, S. B. 1173, bill to charter Kinston and Cape Fear Railroad Company, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 1426, S. B. 1176, bill to provide additional regulations for working public roads of Clayton Township, Johnston County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Miller, H. B. 1413, S. B. 1178, bill to regulate working public roads in Alexander County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1308, S. B. 1150, bill to repeal chapter 321, Private Laws of 1895, to incorporate the Marion, Linville Falls and Cranberry Turnpike Company, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Moore, H. B. 1310, S. B. 1149, bill to amend chapter 680, Public Laws of 1899, in regard to Rockingham County road law. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Bryan, S. B. 1289, bill to protect the public roads of Durham County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Webb, H. B. 1023, S. B. 1197, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Onslow County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1526, S. B. 1215, bill to provide for the adoption of an official map for the town of Lumberton, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1492, S. B. 1180, bill to allow the county of Yadkin to issue bonds, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 679, S. B. 1196, bill to amend chapter 24, Private Laws of 1889, incorporating the town of Hot Springs, with favorablo recommendation.

H. B. 1527, S. B. 1216, bill to provide for repair of public streets in the town of Lumberton, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, H. B. 1048, S. B. 1218, bill to empower the city of Wilmington to pave and improve the streets and sidewalks in said city, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1049, S. B. 1185, bill to empower the city of Wilmington to establish and maintain parks, public grounds, etc., with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1607, S. B. 1203, bill to provide suitable compensation for the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1301, S. B. 1209, bill to amend chapter 194, Private Laws of 1897, relative to charter of the town of Southern Pines, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1608, S. B. 1192, bill to increase the number of Commissioners of Beaufort County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1236, S. B. 1204, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Hertford and to issue bonds, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 1542, S. B. 1220, bill to allow the Board of Commissioners of Yancey County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1058, S. B. 1182, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Wake County to fund its floating debt, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1478, S. B. 1206, bill to incorporate the town of Cornelius, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 1178, H. B. 1417, bill to incorporate the town of Cronly in the County of Columbus, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1291, bill to reduce the corporate limits of the town of Fountain in Pitt County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1279, bill to amend chapter 174, Private Laws of 1899, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1406, S. B. 1208, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Carteret County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 1506, S. B. 1200, bill to amend chapter 55, Private Laws of 1903, in relation to furnishing liquors to guests at the Toxaway Hotel, with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Odell, the bill is re-referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

From the Committee on Public Health:

By Senator Shaw, S. B. 1292, bill for the relief of Dr. C. L. Cook of Wilkes County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Mining:

By Senator Crisp, S. B. 1003, bill to repeal section 2, chapter 41, Public Laws of 1893, in regard to mining gold in McDowell County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1288, bill to amend chapter 310, Private Laws, ratified March 9, 1899, relating to mining, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Watkins, H. B. 1188, S. B. 1104, bill to amend chapter 103, Private Laws of 1903, relative to incorporation of North Carolina Mining, Manufacturing and Development Company, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Judicial Districts:

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 1156, bill to regulate time of holding Superior Courts of Bladen County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Boddie, H. B. 633, S. B. 1022, bill to regulate holding courts in Surry County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 1075, bill to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, relative to holding courts in Buncombe County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Trustees of the University:

Senator Boddie files report of Joint Committee on Trustees of the University.

From the Committee on Pensions and Soldiers' Home:

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 261, bill granting pensions to soldiers and sailors who are incapacitated for manual labor and to provide pensions for widows, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 435, bill to place Remus Holland, an ex-Confederate soldier of Iredell County, on the pension roll, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 432, bill to place Richard Ward of Wayne County on the pension roll, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 108, bill for the relief of George W. Johnston of Northampton County and place him on the pension roll, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 802, bill to place certain widows of Confederate soldiers on the pension roll, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 410, bill to place Mrs. Kate Faucett on the pension roll, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 131, bill to amend section 4 and section 10, chapter 273, Public Laws of North Carolina, as to extending provisions of said act. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

By Senator Turner, S. R. 884, resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to introduce and support an amendment to the pension laws, etc., with favorable recommendation.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1314, S. B. 1148, bill to provide for holding an election in the town of Ayden in Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1163, bill to submit to the qualified voters of Creswell in Washington County the abolition of the dispensary in said town, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1095, S. B. 1098, bill to incorporate the Humane Society of Washington, N. C., upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate Amendment.

H. B. 1497, S. B. 1144, bill to amend chapter 233, Public Laws of 1891, making a four-and-a-half-foot fence a lawful fence in Brunswick County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 874, S. B. 1090, bill to prevent the sale or shipment

of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the county of Graham, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1382, S. B. 1128, bill relative to female convicts in Rowan County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1454, S. B. 1146, bill to incorporate the Imperial Trust and Savings Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1285, bill to incorporate the Love Trust Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1170, bill to repeal chapter 78, Laws of 1887, so far as it relates to Durham and Orange Counties, changing time of collecting taxes by distraint, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 414, S. B. 851, bill to extend and limit the time for delivery of bonds of Macon County to the Blue Ridge and Atlantic Railway Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1308, S. B. 1150, bill to repeal chapter 321, Private Laws of 1895, to incorporate the Marion, Linville Falls and Cranberry Turnpike Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1310, S. B. 1149, bill to amend chapter 680, Public Laws of 1899, in regard to Rockingham County road law, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 1289, bill to protect public roads of Durham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1526, S. B. 1215, bill to provide for the adoption of an official map for the town of Lumberton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1527, S. B. 1216, bill to provide for the repair of the public streets in the town of Lumberton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1608, S. B. 1192, bill to increase the number of Commissioners for Beaufort County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1291, bill to reduce the corporate limits of the town of Fountain in Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1279, bill to amend chapter 174, Private Laws of 1899, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1003, bill to repeal section 2, chapter 41, Public Laws of 1893, in regard to mining gold in McDowell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1288, bill to amend chapter 310, Private Laws, rati-

fied March 9, 1899, relating to mining, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1156, bill to regulate the time of holding the Superior Courts of Bladen County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 633, S. B. 1022, bill regulating holding courts in Surry County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1075, bill to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, relative to holding courts in Buncombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 131, bill to amend sections 4 and 10, chapter 273, Public Laws of North Carolina, as to extending provisions of said act, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 868, H. B. 1559, bill to incorporate the town of Council in Bladen County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1449, S. B. 742 bill to establish Ruffin Graded School District in Rockingham County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 847, S. B. 1261, bill to amend the dispensary law of Warrenton, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1230, S. B. 1252, bill to create and establish Pleasant Hill Township in the county of Northampton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1198, S. B. 1103, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Franklinton, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 435, S. B. 1108, bill to amend the charter of the town of Maxton in Robeson County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1185, S. B. 1105, bill to incorporate the town of Hudson in Caldwell County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1352, S. B. 1099, bill to authorize the county Commissioners of Transylvania County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 116, S. B. 148, bill to incorporate the town of Macon in Warren County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 926, S. B. 1107, bill to incorporate the Winton High Graded School, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1161, S. B. 950, bill to amend the charter of the town of Salisbury, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 927, S. B. 1106, bill to empower the town of Winton in Hertford County to issue bonds for the improvement of its streets, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore,

Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1360, S. B. 1136, bill to provide for the construction and repair of the public roads of Robeson County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1171, S. B. 1061, bill to provide a better system for working the public roads of Jones County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1309, S. B. 1033, bill to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for improving and repairing the roads of said county, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1383, S. B. 1135, bill to provide a system for the keeping up, making, building and repairing of the public roads and bridges in Pamlico County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1290, S. B. 1101, bill to incorporate the town of Highland in Catawba County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield.

Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 913, S. B. 832, bill to incorporate the Asheville and Burnsville Railway Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

H. B. 572, S. B. 1040, bill to incorporate the Dobson Railway Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered sent to the House for concurrence in Senate amendment.

S. B. 1166, bill to authorize the city of Statesville to call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for the graded school and for other purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1171, bill to amend the charter of the town of Greensboro, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1556, S. B. 976, bill to amend chapter 4 of the Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 435 of the Public Laws of 1903, and other laws relating to the public school law, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 679, bill to amend chapter 24, Private Laws 1889, to incorporate the town of Hot Springs, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1492, S. B. 1180, bill to allow the county of Yadkin to issue bonds for electric railway, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1402, S. B. 1219, bill to authorize the Suffolk and Carolina Railway Company to construct one or more lines of railroad in the counties of Tyrrell and Hyde, or either of them, and to authorize the said counties of Tyrrell and Hyde, and each of them, to subscribe to the capital stock of said Suffolk and Carolina Railway Company, and to issue bonds and levy taxes to pay for said subscriptions, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1131, S. B. 939, bill to make a portion of Pamlico County a stock law territory, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1023, S. B. 1197, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Onslow County to levy a special tax to pay the bonds issued to build a court-house and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1413, S. B. 1178, bill to regulate the working of the public roads in Alexander County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Irdell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1426, S. B. 1176, bill to provide additional regulations for the working of the public roads in Clayton Township, Johnston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1434, S. B. 1173, bill to charter the Kinston and Cape Fear Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1233, S. B. 1039, bill to incorporate the Raleigh and Southport Railway Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1177, S. B. 1201, bill to incorporate the Southport and Western Railway Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1417, S. B. 1175, bill to incorporate the town of Cronly in the county of Columbus, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1188, S. B. 1104, bill to amend chapter 103, Private Laws 1903, relative to incorporation of North Carolina Mining, Manufacturing and Development Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1406, S. B. 1208, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Carteret County to levy a special tax, and authorizing the sale of the present jail, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1357, S. B. 1296, bill to amend chapter 170 of the Private Laws of 1903, to incorporate the city of Washington, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston,

Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1280, bill to amend chapter 263 of Public Laws 1903, relative to Spring Hope Graded School in Alamance County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

S. B. 1281, bill to correct an error in an act to provide for working the public roads of Rutherford County, ratified February 15, 1905, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1478, S. B. 1206, bill to incorporate the town of Cornelius, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton,

Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1058, S. B. 1182, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Wake County to pay and fund its floating debt, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1542, S. B. 1220, bill to allow the Board of Commissioners of Yancey County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1236, S. B. 1204, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Hertford and to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1301, S. B. 1209, bill to amend chapter 194 of the Private Acts of the General Assembly of the year 1897, relating to the charter of the town of Southern Pines and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1049, S. B. 1185, bill empowering the city of Wilmington to establish, construct and maintain parks, public grounds and plazas, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor,

Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1048, S. B. 1218, an act empowering the city of Wilmington to improve the streets and sidewalks in said city, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1378, S. B. 1224, bill to amend chapter 349, Public Laws of 1903, known as the anti-jug law for Mitchell, Cleveland, Gaston and Cabarrus Counties, making the carrier the agent of the vendor. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1356, S. B. 1225, bill to amend chapter 529, section 2, Public Laws of 1897, relative to better drainage of Forsyth County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1364, S. B. 1226, bill to authorize and empower the Commissioners of Anson County to have mutilated deed-books and will-books copied. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1365, S. B. 1227, bill to protect fish in Lane's Creek in Anson County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 1366, S. B. 1228, bill for the relief of Thomas C. Robinson, Clerk of Superior Court of Anson County. Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

H. B. 1371, S. B. 1229, bill to amend chapter 549, Public Laws of 1899, relative to prohibition. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1464, S. B. 1230, bill to amend the road law of Lincoln County, so as to include the two principal streets of Denver. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1470, S. B. 1231, bill to prevent the obstruction of the water-courses of Brooks and Thoroughfare Swamps in Wayne County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1480, S. B. 1232, bill to establish a new school district in Hertford County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1487, S. B. 1233, bill to amend section 4 of chapter 435, Laws of 1903, as brought forward in Volume II of the Revised Statutes, chapter 92, section 4026, empowering the county board of education to fix the time of opening and closing the public schools. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1482, S. B. 1234, bill to lay off and construct a public road from North Wilkesboro to Boone. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1489, S. B. 1235, bill to tax dogs on Roanoke Island in Dare County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1522, S. B. 1236, bill to amend chapter 542, Laws of 1903, prohibiting the hunting of squirrels and opossums in the county of Greene between February 1st and October 1st in each year. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1533, S. B. 1237, bill to regulate the working of roads in Mannings Township, Nash County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 1238, H. B. 1543, bill to incorporate Fair View Church in Ashe County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1547, S. B. 1239, bill for the relief of Miss Mamie Little, a public school teacher of Anson County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1462, S. B. 1240, bill to amend chapter 554, relative to Gum Swamp in Pitt County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1425, S. B. 1241, bill to prevent commercial business or cattle-driving upon the public highways of Ashe County upon the Sabbath day. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1415, S. B. 1242, bill to tax peddlers of medicine. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1419, S. B. 1243, bill for the relief of S. E. Hogsed, a public teacher in Clay County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1407, S. B. 1244, bill to amend the laws of weights and measures by striking out the provision of section 3841 of The Code, making it compulsory for weights and measures to be tried by standard every two years. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1486, S. B. 1245, bill to amend section 1865 of The Code, to protect wild turkeys in Clay, Randolph and Rowan Counties. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1388, S. B. 1246, bill to amend the Laws of 1887, chapter 424, section 3, relative to Reidsville Graded School. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1186, S. B. 1247, bill to incorporate the town of Locust in Stanly County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1221, S. B. 1248, bill to incorporate the town of Moncure, Chatham County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1295, S. B. 1249, bill to amend chapter 171 of the Private Laws of 1897, incorporating the town of Mayesville, providing manner of holding elections in said town. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1222, S. B. 1250, bill to abolish the office of Standard-keeper in Bertie County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1225, S. B. 1251, bill to allow Commissioners of Montgomery and Randolph to pay the Clerk of the Superior Court of said counties for making dockets for the use of judge and bar for several terms. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1230, S. B. 1252, bill to create and establish Pleasant Hill Township in the county of Northampton. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1234, S. B. 1253, bill to amend chapter 95, Laws of 1901, establishing a graded school for the town of East Bend in Yadkin County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1237, S. B. 1254, bill for the relief of John R. Dail, Clerk of the Superior Court of Greene County. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1238, S. B. 1255, bill to amend chapter 313, Laws of 1887, and to allow an election to be held in the county of Greene on Prohibition. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1257, S. B. 1256, bill to prevent the selling of liquors within three miles of Falcon Camp-meeting Grounds of Cumberland County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1334, S. B. 1257, bill to prohibit lawlessness on public highways in Craven County. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 310, S. B. 1258, bill requiring section-masters of railroads of Pender County to report the killing of stock. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 664, S. B. 1259, bill to regulate the fees of county officers. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 808, S. B. 1260, bill to protect dairymen. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 847, S. B. 1261, bill to amend the dispensary law for Warrenton. Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 960, S. B. 1262, bill to empower the Board of Commissioners of Robeson County to borrow money from the school fund of the county. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1055, S. B. 1263, bill to re-enact and amend chapter 399, Private Laws of 1901, to incorporate the Aberdeen and Gibson Railway Company. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1099, S. B. 1266, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Greene County to levy a special tax. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1179, S. B. 1264, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the county of Jackson to levy a special tax for road purposes. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1341, S. B. 1265, bill to repeal chapter 327 of the Laws of 1891, relative to the town of Leinster in Brunswick County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1184, S. B. 1267, bill to empower the Board of Commissioners of Watauga County to levy a special tax. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1469, S. B. 1268, bill to change the county line between Wilkes and Alleghany Counties, so as to include the mountain farms of F. N. Alexander and C. N. Hunt in Alleghany County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1500, S. B. 1269, bill to regulate hunting of quail and other game birds in the county of Granville. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1474, S. B. 1270, bill to amend chapter 260 of Public Laws of 1895, relating to drainage of Brush Creek in Guilford County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1544, S. B. 1271, bill for the better protection of deer in North Carolina. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1634, S. B. 1272, bill to amend chapter 130, Private Laws of 1897, the charter of the town of Lilesville. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1639, S. B. 1273, bill to elect justices of the peace by a vote of the people. Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

H. B. 1498, S. B. 1274, bill regulating hunting and fishing in Lanesburg Township, Anson County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1353, S. B. 1275, bill to prohibit hogs from running at large between Nags Head Life Saving Station and New Inlet in Dare County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1519, S. B. 1297, bill concerning drainage of lands on Indian Creek from Shull's bridge to Crouse's bridge. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1468, S. B. 1298, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Raleigh in the county of Wake and State of North Carolina. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 738, S. B. 1299, bill to allow the Camden Ferry Company to erect a draw-bridge on Pasquotank River. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1421, S. B. 1300, bill to amend chapter 28, Public Laws 1901, relative to holding courts in Alamance County. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 1669, S. B. 1301, bill to erect convenient gates in the no-fence territory, 8 and 9 Townships, Craven County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1695, S. B. 1302, bill to regulate fishing in Kitty Hawk Bay, Dare County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 1121, S. B. 1303, bill to charter the Citizens Loan and Trust Company of North Wilkesboro. Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

H. B. 1684, S. B. 1304, bill to prohibit the manufacturing or retailing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one mile of Walnut Grove Church, Wilkes County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1298, S. B. 1305, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Bethesda Church in Moore County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 698, S. B. 1306, bill to provide for election of the Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County by a vote of the people. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1698, S. B. 1307, bill for the relief of Miss Mary Hugh Stewart, a school-teacher in Robeson County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 854, S. B. 1308, bill to extend the corporate limits of the city of Asheville. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1525, S. B. 1309, bill to amend the charter of the town of Lumberton and to provide for an increase of its bonded debt. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1449, S. B. 742, bill to establish Ruffin Graded School District in Rockingham County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1358, S. B. 1310, bill to amend chapter 581, sections 23 and 27, Public Laws of 1899, and chapter 437, section 20, Public Laws of 1903, and section 2017 of The Code, and

for the working of the public roads of Perquimans County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1481, S. B. 1311, bill to charter the Appalachian Electric Power Company of North Wilkesboro, N. C. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1568, S. B. 1312, bill to create a high school district in Hertford County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1536, S. B. 1313, bill to authorize the Trustees of Sanford Graded Schools to issue bonds. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 1728, S. B. 1314, bill to amend an act entitled "An act to protect landlords and tenants," H. B. 297, S. B. 552, ratified February 24, 1905. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1538, S. B. 1315, bill to enlarge a certain stock law territory in Columbus County, and prevent live stock from running at large therein. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1540, S. B. 1316, bill to incorporate the town of Mineral Springs in Union County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1559, S. B. 868, bill to incorporate the town of Council in Bladen County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1677, S. B. 1317, bill to regulate the collection of taxes in Ashe County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1712, S. B. 1318, bill to regulate the fees of the Treasurer of Martin County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1410, S. B. 1319, bill to change the corporate limits of the town of Lumberton. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 363, S. B. 1320, bill to facilitate and cheapen the

trial of actions involving the title to or interest in real estate. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 1717, S. B. 1321, bill to better promote the cause of education in Iredell County. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 1719, S. B. 1322, bill to incorporate the Bowman Academy of Bakersville, Mitchell County, N. C. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1699, S. B. 1323, bill relating to the disbursement of the public school fund of Wake County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1700, S. B. 1324, bill to incorporate the Womble Hook and Ladder Company of Raleigh, N. C. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1705, S. B. 1325, bill to amend chapter 349, Public Laws of 1903, known as the anti-jug law for Mitchell, Gaston, Cleveland and Cabarrus Counties. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1670, S. B. 1326, bill to change the time of holding courts in Craven County. Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.

H. B. 1676, S. B. 1327, bill to amend section 2, chapter 582, relative to changing the Cross Creek stock law fence in the county of Cumberland. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1546, S. B. 1328, bill to facilitate the collection of taxes in the county of Haywood. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1690, S. B. 1329, bill to repeal chapter 346, Laws of 1899, relative to the incorporating of the Presbyterian Church of Yanceyville, Caswell County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1726, S. B. 1330, bill to authorize the Trustees of Ashboro Male and Female Academy to sell or donate and

convey a certain lot in the town of Ashboro, Randolph County. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 1505, S. B. 1331, bill to prevent the smuggling of intoxicating liquors into the county of Rutherford. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1720, S. B. 1332, bill to prevent dangerous or vicious dogs from running at large. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1729, S. B. 1333, bill to amend charter of Littleton Female College. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1343, S. B. 1334, bill to prohibit fishing with nets in certain waters in Greene County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1349, S. B. 1335, bill to amend chapter 458, Public Laws of 1903, relative to working the public roads in Polk County. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1718, S. B. 1336, bill to create two new townships in Mitchell County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1723, S. B. 1337, bill to provide suitable compensation for the Sheriff of Halifax County. Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1483, S. B. 1338, bill to prevent persons from entering railroad cars without permission in Robeson and Columbus Counties. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1600, S. B. 1339, bill to incorporate the Jackson County Railway Company. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1617, S. B. 1340, bill to protect certain birds in Gaston County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1087, S. B. 1341, bill to amend charter of the Banking, Loan and Trust Company of Sanford, Moore County. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

H. B. 1518, S. B. 1342, bill to prevent muddying the waters of Little Contentnea Creek for the purpose of catching fish. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 1258, S. B. 1343, bill to incorporate the Citizens Banking and Trust Company of Southern Pines. Referred to Committee on Banks and Currency.

PETITIONS.

A petition is presented and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Moore, petition from citizens of Topsail in Pender County asking for repeal of the anti-jug law. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Toms, S. B. 1344, bill relative to drawing grand juries in Henderson County. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Boddie, S. B. 1345, bill to provide for the appointment of court stenographers for Franklin County. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 1346, resolution relating to matter of our inland waterway, and requesting the Senators and Representatives in the National Congress from North Carolina to use their best efforts towards its construction. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Bragaw, by request, S. B. 1347, bill for the relief of Robert Tripp, Standard-keeper of Beaufort County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Bragaw, by request, S. B. 1348, bill to amend section 3841 of The Code, as amended by the Laws of 1893, chapter 100, relating to the Standard-keeper of Beaufort County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 1349, resolution to renovate and fix up the Senate Chamber and Hall of the House of Representatives. Placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator McCulloch, S. B. 1350, bill to protect deer in certain portions of Bladen County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Aaron, by request, S. B. 1351, bill to amend chapter 25, Public Laws of 1889, and chapter 410, Private Laws of 1901, in relation to the charter of the Enterprise Lumber Company, and authorizing said company to construct a railroad. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 1352, bill to amend charter of the Methodist Orphanage. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 1353, bill to authorize and empower the Commissioners of New Hanover County to donate and convey certain real property to the Wilmington Division North Carolina Naval Brigade. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Bragaw, by request, S. B. 1354, bill to provide a certain place for holding the annual meetings of the board of dental examiners. Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 1355, bill to amend section 71, chapter 4, Public Laws of 1901, relating to Burlington Graded School, Alamance County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 1356, bill to prohibit the hunting of game or fishing on the lands of another in Brunswick County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Sinclair, by request, S. B. 1357, bill to regulate the employment and occupation of railway telegraphers and establish a board of telegraphy examiners. Referred to Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 1358, bill to create a Public

Works Commission for the city of Fayetteville. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Sinclair, by request, S. B. 1359, bill to repeal chapter 125, Public Laws of 1903, known as the Cumberland County prohibition law, in so far as it applies to the city of Fayetteville, and to place said town under the provisions of the Watts Law. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 1360, bill to require the levy of a special tax in the city of Asheville, to encourage industry and promote immigration. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 1361, bill to regulate the election of boards of education for certain counties. Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Boddie, S. B. 1362, bill to regulate the fees of the Sheriff and Clerk of the Superior Court of Franklin County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 1363, bill to submit to the qualified voters of the city of Asheville the question of establishing a dispensary. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 1364, bill to repeal chapter 123, Private Laws of 1887, and to amend chapter 29, Private Laws of 1885, relating to the town of Princeville in Edgecombe County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 1365, bill to amend chapter 365, Private Laws of 1901, changing the corporate limits of the town of Macclesfield in Edgecombe County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Webb, S. R. 1355, resolution providing for the election of Trustees for the University of North Carolina. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 1367, bill to amend an act of the General Assembly of 1905, ratified February 22d, entitled "An act to prevent the destruction of small menhaden in the

waters of the State of North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 1368, bill for the relief of Mary A. Watkins and J. A. Henry of Anson County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Coxe, S. B. 1369, bill to change the time of holding the courts in Stanly County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 1370, bill to amend chapter 375, Private Laws of 1903, relative to the public roads of Waynesville Township, Haywood County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate H. B. 412, S. B. 370, bill to relieve the Board of Agriculture from contributing to the current expenses of the A. and M. College, as recommended by His Excellency, Governor Aycock, in his message of January, 1905, upon second reading.

Senator Scales files a minority report as follows:

The undersigned, a minority of the Committee on Appropriations, respectfully file this as a minority report. It is with deep regret that we antagonize our friend, the Senator from Scotland, in this matter, but we feel compelled to do so. Only the keenest sense of duty to the State, as we see it, would move us to take this action. The last General Assembly required the Agricultural Department to contribute the sum of $10,000 annually to the A. and M. College. The proposition is to relieve the Agricultural Department of this payment. If this is done one of two things must happen: either this amount must be paid out of the State Treasury or the college, with 500 or 600 young men, must greatly suffer. When we remember that last year the Agricultural

Department spent more than $97,000 we cannot willingly allow this extra burden to be put upon the general treasury.

(Signed) SCALES.
BODDIE.

Senator Scales moves to amend the bill:

Amend by adding the following section: "That the tonnage tax now levied upon fertilizers is hereby reduced to ten cents per ton."

Senator Scales calls for the ayes and noes on the amendment.

The call is sustained.

The amendment is lost, ayes 7, noes 25, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Boddie, Boyles, Crisp, Foushee, Pearson, Scales, Stringfield—7.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Bryan, Duls, Eller, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—25.

Senator Scales moves to amend:

Amend by adding the following: "That the repeal of this act shall not have the effect to relieve the board of any payment for the present fiscal year."

The amendment is lost, ayes 13, noes 15, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Arendell, Boddie, Duls, Foushee, Mason of Northampton, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Webb, Wright—13.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Aaron, Bryan, Eller, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, McLean, Miller, Sinclair, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Williams—15.

Senator Scales moves to amend:

That the tonnage tax now levied on all fertilizers is hereby reduced to fifteen cents per ton.

The amendment is lost, ayes 12, noes 23, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Crisp, Fleming, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Miller, Pearson, Scales, Somers, Turner—12.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Bryan, Duls, Eller, Grady, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Odell, Shaw, Sinclair, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright—23.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Person, S. B. 255, bill to provide for the erection of a building for Hall of Records and History, State Library, offices for Superintendent of Public Instruction, Insurance Commissioner and Adjutant-General, Arsenal, Legislative Committees and Storage Rooms, is made a special order for to-morrow at 12 o'clock.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 553, bill to amend chapter 548, Public Laws of 1903, increasing the salary of brigadier-generals, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 807, bill to pay solicitors a stipulated salary instead of fees, upon second reading.

Senator Long moves to adjourn.

Senator Foushee moves to amend the motion to adjourn so as to adjourn to meet at 9:30 o'clock to-morrow.

The amendment is adopted.

The motion is adopted and the Senate adjourns until 9:30 o'clock to-morrow.

## FORTY-NINTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, March 1, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Senator J. A. T. Jones of Johnston County.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Jones, H. B. 738, S. B. 1299, bill to allow the Camden Ferry Company to erect a draw-bridge on the Pasquotank River, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, S. B. 1005, bill to assess lands of Beaver Dam, Flat Swamp and Gum Log Swamp in Flea Hill Township, Cumberland County, and for constructing canals for the drainage of said lands, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 699, S. B. 1191, bill to repeal stock law in a portion of New Hanover County, and submit to the voters the question of levying taxes for building fences, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 1172, S. B. 977, bill to amend chapter 48, Public Laws of 1903, relative to stock law in Faison and Wolfscrape Townships in Duplin County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1119, S. B. 1102, bill in regard to stock law in a portion of Faison Township, Duplin County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, H. B. 1470, S. B. 1231, bill to prevent the obstruction of Brooks and Thoroughfare Swamps in Wayne County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, H. B. 668, S. B. 897, bill to amend section 1006 of The Code, relative to buying cotton at night. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 1378, S. B. 1224, bill to amend chapter 349, Public Laws of 1903, known as the anti-jug law for Mitchell, Cleveland, Gaston and Cabarrus Counties. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

S. B. 999, bill to prevent the overflow of White Oak Swamp by waters of the Cape Fear River, with favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Burton, S. B. 395, bill to define what shall constitute evidence of premeditation in trials for murder, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 479, bill to authorize executors and administrators to provide gravestones for deceased persons, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 388, bill to provide a fire-proof depository for court records, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1048, bill to amend chapter 444, Laws of 1889, as amended by chapter 106, Laws of 1901, relative to evidence of promise or agreement to work, obtaining advances thereon, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 652, S. B. 454, resolution to prevent publication of unnecessary laws, etc., with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Grady, S. B. 795, bill to restrict incurring debts by municipalities. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

H. B. 914, S. B. 1036, bill in regard to taking depositions, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Wright, H. B. 1194, S. B. 916, bill to incorporate New River Baptist Church in Ashe County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1041, bill to authorize the county of Stanly to refund its bonded indebtedness, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1108, S. B. 764, bill to amend omnibus liquor law of 1903, chapter 276, and prescribe a punishment for the violation thereof, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 194, S. B. 570, bill to amend section 383 of The Code, and defining vagrancy, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Coxe, H. B. 744, S. B. 845, bill requiring surveyor's certificate to be attached to grants recorded, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Fish and Fisheries:

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 1695, S. B. 1302, bill to regulate fishing in Kitty Hawk Bay in Dare County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Grady, H. B. 407, S. B. 1020, bill to regulate taking fish from Roanoke and Little Rivers and to prohibit Sunday fishing, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 804, S. B. 1183, bill to regulate fishing in Pamlico and Tar Rivers between the first day of March and the first day of May in any year, with an unfavorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Bragaw, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1518, S. B. 1342, bill to prevent muddying the waters of Little Contentnea Creek for the purpose of catching fish, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Banks and Currency:

By Senator Long of Person, H. B. 1087, S. B. 1341, bill to amend charter of the Banking, Loan and Trust Company of Sanford in Moore County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Corporations:

Senator Coxe, S. B. 1278, bill to incorporate the Asheville Brokerage and Investment Company, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Bryan, H. B. 1179, S. B. 1264, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Jackson County to levy a special tax for road purposes, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 1533, S. B. 1237, bill to regulate the working of roads in Mannings Township, Nash County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Miller, H. B. 1358, S. B. 1310, bill to amend chapter 581, as to working of public roads of Perquimans County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McCulloch, H. B. 1349, S. B. 1335, bill to amend chapter 458, relative to working the public roads in Polk County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Wright, H. B. 886, S. B. 823, bill to incorporate the Missionary Board of the Krimmer Mennonite Church, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 1464, S. B. 1230, to amend the road law of Lincoln County so as to include two principal streets of Denver, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 1482, S. B. 1234, bill to lay off and construct a public road from North Wilkesboro to Boone, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 1506, S. B. 1200, bill to amend chapter 55, Private Laws of 1903, relative to furnishing liquor to the guests of the Toxaway Hotel, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, H. B. 854, S. B. 1308, bill to extend corporate limits of the city of Asheville, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1082, bill to amend charter of the city of Statesville, to extend the city limits, etc., with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1184, S. B. 1267, bill to empower the Board of Commissioners of Watauga County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1634, S. B. 1272, bill to amend chapter 130, Private Laws of 1897, as to the charter of Lilesville, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 808, S. B. 1260, bill to protect dairymen in Buncombe County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1110, S. B. 918, bill to amend section 6, chapter 329, Public Laws of 1901, by adding the word Scotland County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1469, S. B. 1268, bill to change the county lines between Wilkes and Alleghany Counties, so as to include the mountain farms of certain persons, with a favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1237, S. B. 1254, bill for the relief of John R. Dail, Clerk of the Court of Greene County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Bryan, H. B. 1718, S. B. 1336, bill to create two new townships in Mitchell County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 1099, S. B. 1266, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Duplin County to levy a special tax, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1540, S. B. 1316, bill to incorporate the town of Mineral Springs in Union County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1342, S. B. 1238, bill to incorporate Fair View Church in Ashe County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bryan, H. B. 1186, S. B. 1247, bill to incorporate the town of Locust in Stanly County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McLean, H. B. 1221, S. B. 1248, bill to incorporate the town of Moncure, Chatham County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 698, S. B. 1306, bill to provide for election by the people of the Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, H. B. 1348, bill to amend The Code, relative to Standard-keeper of Beaufort County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 1347, bill for the relief of Robert Tripp, Standard-keeper of Beaufort County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1525, S. B. 1309, bill to amend charter of the town of Lumberton, and to provide for increase of its bonded debt, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1295, S. B. 1249, bill to amend chapter 171, Private Laws of 1897, incorporating the town of Mayesville, providing manner for holding elections, etc., with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Immigration:

By Senator Duls, S. R. 1165, resolution concerning the Jamestown Exposition. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Printing:

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 962, bill to publish and distribute the corporation law of North Carolina, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Moore, H. B. 1669, S. B. 1301, bill to erect convenient gates in no-fence territory of Number 8 and 9 Townships, Craven County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Pearson, S. B. 1069, bill to amend chapter 186, Laws of 1901, conferring power to foreclose mortgages upon executors and administrators, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 743, S. B. 846, bill to require county surveyors to keep a record of all surveys or entries of lands, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Empie, H. B. 773, S. B. 920, bill to amend section 3320 of The Code, relative to the powers and duties of the Governor. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Pearson, H. B. 671, S. B. 627, bill prohibiting the sale of cigarettes within two miles of Sharp's Academy in Rockingham County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Pearson, H. B. 277, S. B. 623, bill to provide for the collection of taxes from persons who have removed from counties after the tax lists are put in the hands of the sheriff, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 490, S. B. 936, bill for the relief of E. L. Auberry, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 580, S. B. 499, bill to provide for allotting homesteads in lands held in common. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Duls, H. B. 1364, S. B. 1276, bill to authorize and empower the Commissioners of Anson County to have mutilated deed-books and will-books copied, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Banks and Currency:

By Senator Long of Person, H. B. 1121, S. B. 1303, bill to charter the Citizens Loan and Trust Company of North Wilkesboro, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Appropriations:

By Senator Mason of Gaston, S. B. 433, bill to amend

section 2222 of The Code, to promote agriculture by holding county fairs. The committee reports the bill and substitute unfavorably.

They are tabled.

S. B. 732, bill to erect a suitable monument to the memory of the late Willie P. Mangum, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 709, bill to provide buildings for the State Normal School for the colored race and other purposes, with unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Rules:

By Senator Webb, resolution in regard to number of members of committees necessary to constitute a quorum, etc.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The resolution is adopted.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 746, S. B. 1375, bill to amend the charter of the town of Pinebluff in Moore County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1232, S. B. 1376, bill to amend chapter 131, Private Laws 1903, to allow a vote on the question of a dispensary in the town of Wilson, and to regulate the granting of license to retail spirituous liquors in the county of Wilson. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1351, S. B. 1377, bill to provide for working the public roads in Hyde County and for levying a tax therefor. The bill is ordered placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1405, S. B. 1378, bill to provide for assessment of express and telegraph companies, and to require them to pay

arrears of taxes for the years 1903 and 1904. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1615, S. B. 1370, bill to incorporate the camp-meetings in Dare County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1635, S. B. 1380, bill to regulate the use of traction engines on the macadamized roads of Durham County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1520, S. B. 1381, bill to amend section 3756 of The Code, relative to the witness fees of doctors in Iredell County. Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

H. B. 1254, S. B. 1382, bill for the protection of mullet-fishing interests in Brunswick County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 1342, S. B. 1383, bill to repeal chapter 108, Public Laws of 1874-'75, relative to the charter of the town of Weaversville in Buncombe County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1163, S. B. 1384, bill to protect fish in Stanley Creek in Nash County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 1119, S. B. 1385, bill to protect fish in Sapponey Creek in Nash County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 1137, S. B. 1386, bill to establish the Blairs Fork and Yadkin Valley Turnpike. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1622, S. B. 1387, bill to grant C. E. Luhn, a disabled Confederate soldier of Beaufort County, privilege of exhibiting a magic lantern and graphophone concert without paying taxes. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 591, S. B. 1388, substitute offered by the committee for House Bill No. 591, to promote the publication of school books relative to history and literature. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1130, S. B. 1389, bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1901, relating to the duties of county commissioners. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 984, S. B. 1390, bill to secure speedy trials before justices of the peace and to provide for the officers' fees for summoning jurors in justices' courts. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 413, S. B. 1391, bill concerning the draining of lands. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 1780, S. B. 1392, bill to amend chapter 443, Public Laws of 1903. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 1682, S. B. 1393, bill to amend the charter of Lincolnton, by amending chapter 369, Private Laws of 1899. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1629, S. B. 1394, bill to establish a graded school in Walkertown and vicinity in Forsyth County. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 1620, S. B. 1395, bill to incorporate the town of Garner in Wake County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1508, S. B. 1396, bill to repeal chapter 576, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the shell-fish law in Brunswick County. Referred to Committee on Shell-fish.

H. B. 1529, S. B. 1397, bill for the establishment and maintenance of graded schools in the town of North Wilkesboro. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 871, S. B. 1577, bill to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at Lakewood Park, Durham County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1277, S. B. 1398, bill to prohibit the manufacture and illegal sale of liquors in Union County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1755, S. B. 1399, bill to repeal chapter 189, Public Laws of 1899, establishing a dispensary in Jackson, North-

ampton County, and leaving the same to a vote of the people of town and county. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1775, S. B. 1400, bill to protect the macadam public roads or highways of the county of Durham. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1773, S. B. 1401, bill to amend the charter of the town of Ashboro in Randolph County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1613, S. B. 1402, bill to amend charter of Aurora. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1702, S. B. 1403, bill to incorporate the High Point Savings and Trust Company. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1541, S. B. 1404, bill to regulate the attendance upon public schools in Yadkin County. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 1776, S. B. 1405, bill to amend chapter 409, Laws of 1901, relating to the analysis of fertilizers. Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 1641, S. B. 1406, bill to establish the Lake Landing Graded School District in Hyde County, and to levy a special tax therefor. Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 1640, S. B. 1407, bill to amend chapter 137, Private Laws of 1887, and repealing chapter 300, Private Laws of 1901, in regard to charter of the town of Kernersville in Forsyth County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1778, S. B. 1408, bill to fix salaries of the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Mecklenburg County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1601, S. B. 1409, bill to correct State grant No. 126, to Nathan Hayatt in originally Haywood County, but now Jackson. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1618, S. B. 1410, bill to improve the public roads in No. 4 Township in Cleveland County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1771, S. B. 1411, bill to amend an act passed at the present session incorporating Haywood in Chatham County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1709, S. B. 1414, bill to amend Halifax road law, allowing the employment of purchasing agent by Commissioners of Halifax County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1595, S. B. 1413, bill to amend the charter of the town of Waynesville, and to provide for the paving and improvements of the streets of said town. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1448, S. B. 774, bill to regulate the killing of quail and other game birds in Buncombe County. For concurrence in amendment.

H. B. 784, S. B. 1414, bill to repeal chapter 555, Public Laws of 1903, relating to stock law in Richmond County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1758, S. B. 1415, bill to provide for the appointment of a Lumber Inspector for Henderson County, the appointment to be made by the county commissioners if in their discretion they deem it advisable to do it. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1724, S. B. 1416, bill to regulate primary elections in Mitchell County. Referred to the Committee on Elections.

H. B. 1507, S. B. 1417, bill to define the corporate limits of the town of Boyette in Wilson County, and to appoint officers for same. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1609, S. B. 1418, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to pay its existing indebtedness. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1765, S. B. 1419, bill to amend chapter 123 of Public Laws of 1887, relative to the creek law of Iredell County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1594, S. B. 1420, bill to authorize the Commission-

ers of Wake County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing for the purpose of making and improving the public roads of said county. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1769, S. B. 1421, bill to validate certain State grants. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1273, S. B. 1422, bill to create Duke Township in Harnett County, and to appoint justices of the peace and a constable for it. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1534, S. B. 1423, bill to empower the Board of County Commissioners of McDowell County to compromise, commute and settle the debt of McDowell County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 861, S. B. 1424, bill to authorize the county of Stanly to refund the bonded indebtedness of said county. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1759, S. B. 1425, bill to amend chapter 50 of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to highways, public roads, bridges, ferries and fords, and applicable only to Mecklenburg County and Charlotte Township. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1456, S. B. 1426, bill to amend chapter 247, Private Laws of 1889, to allow Kernersville, Forsyth County, to vote bonds to build a street car line. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1457, S. B. 1427, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Kernersville, Forsyth County. Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1604, S. B. 1428, bill to amend the charter of the city of Goldsboro. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1789, S. B. 1429, bill to amend chapter 294, Public Laws of 1903, relative to time for holding courts in Greene and Craven Counties. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 190, S. B. 19, bill to amend section 649 of The Code, to provide for appeals in contempt cases. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 763, S. B. 1430, bill to amend the Public Laws of 1903, chapter 443, relative to road taxes of Davidson County. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1332, S. B. 1431, bill to complete the construction and properly drain the Trenton-Core Creek road in Jones and Craven Counties, and the Tucker Bridge road in Jones and Onslow Counties. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1605, S. B. 1432, bill to incorporate the town of Maupin in the County of Pitt. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 627, S. B. 227, bill to cure defective orders to registrations of deeds, for concurrence. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 987, S. B. 1433, a resolution to request our Senators and Representatives in Congress to use their united influence to secure the passage of a law that will permit farmers and growers of tobacco to manufacture and sell the same in any way, quantity or form free from any tax or charge. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 929, S. B. 1434, bill to authorize the Corporation Commission to require the establishment of depots on railroads within two miles of any existing depot when there is no public highway to said existing depot. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1370, S. B. 1435, bill to protect trout and red-breast in Lumber River, Robeson and Columbus Counties. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 692, S. B. 16, bill to amend chapter 273 of the Public Laws of 1903, for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows, for concurrence. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 316, S. B. 1436, bill to provide for assessment of real estate of railroad companies in stock law territory for local benefit. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

H. B. 1516, S. B. 1437, a Revenue and Machinery Act. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1495, S. B. 1438, bill to incorporate the town of Roaring River in Wilkes County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1687, S. B. 1452, bill to amend chapter 295, Public Laws 1899, regulating fishing in Black River, Great Coharie and Six Runs. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 53, S. B. 1453, bill to prevent the fraudulent sales of stocks of merchandise in bulk. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1673, S. B. 1454, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Onslow and Pender Counties to have the line between said counties surveyed and established. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1716, S. B. 1455, bill to change the time of meeting of the Board of Road Supervisors in Stokes County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1621, S. B. 1456, bill to abolish the office of Standard-keeper in Yancey County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 881, S. B. 1457, bill to amend the charter of Mars Hill College in Madison County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1227, S. B. 1458, bill to provide for the testing of water meters, gas meters, electric light meters. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1788, S. B. 1459, bill to permit the Commissioners of Jones County upon petition of a majority of the qualified voters of said county to levy a special tax to construct iron draw or bridge over Trent River at Pollocksville. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1829, S. B. 1460, bill to amend chapter 155 of the Private Laws of 1901, prohibiting public drunkenness at Spray in Rockingham County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1423, S. B. 1461, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors in certain localities. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 788, S. B. 1463, bill to validate the probate of certain deeds and conveyances. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 504, S. B. 1462, bill to repair the walks and the grounds of Capitol Square in the city of Raleigh. Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

H. B. 729, S. B. 247, bill to regulate conditional pardons, for concurrence in House amendment. Placed upon the Calendar.

Senator Mason of Northampton announces to the Senate the presence in the Chamber of a delegation of members of the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, and moves that the courtesies of the Senate be extended to them. The motion is adopted by a rising vote of all the Senators present.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Eller, S. B. 1371, bill to change the boundary line of Middle Fork Township, Forsyth County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 1372, bill to amend an act providing for the Superior Courts of Cumberland County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

Senator Empie, S. B. 1373, bill to protect fish in Black River, South River, Little Coharie and Big Coharie Rivers and their tributaries in the counties of Sampson, Pender and Bladen. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 1374, bill to exempt members of fire companies from jury duties after eight years honorable service as firemen. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 1439, bill to protect game in New Hanover County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 1440, bill to re-establish self-

government in New Hanover County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 1441, bill to protect game in Brunswick County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 1442, bill to change the Eleventh and Thirteenth Judicial Districts of North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 1443, bill to establish a dispensary in the town of Roxboro, Person County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 1444, bill to prevent the felling of timber and depositing dead bodies in the waters of Brush Creek, Alleghany County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 1445, bill to fix salaries for the officers of Buncombe County and increase the road fund and create the office of Auditor. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 1446, bill to limit the poll tax. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 1447, bill to change the time for holding the terms of certain courts in the Ninth District. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 1448, bill to empower the Commissioners of Cumberland County to regulate the place for the execution of criminals. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 1449, bill to empower a succeeding guardian to collect or foreclose a mortgage executed to a former guardian. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 1450, bill to change the boundary lines of Mitchell and Watauga Counties. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Stringfield, by request, S. B. 1451, bill to amend H. B. 760, S. B. 551, of the present session, in regard

to sawdust in the streams of Swain County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 1464, bill to make the place of delivery the place of sale of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors in Iredell County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Long of Iredell, S. B. 1465, bill to amend chapter 441, Public Laws of 1901, relating to Congressional Districts. Referred to Committee on Congressional Districts.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 1466, bill to repeal chapter 336, Public Laws of 1897, relating to the drainage of lands in Davie County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 1467, bill to amend section 739 of The Code, relative to costs to be paid in certain cases, to be applied to New Hanover County only. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 1468, bill to repeal an act passed by this General Assembly, entitled bill to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1889, relating to the public roads of Forsyth County and make in lieu thereof certain changes. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Eller, S. B. 1469, bill to prevent floating sawdust in certain streams of Forsyth County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 1470, bill to amend section 907 of The Code, relative to removal of causes from mayors of towns. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

## ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and ordered sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 1391, S. B. 779, an act to submit to the qualified voters of Buncombe County the question of issuing bonds for

macadamizing the public roads of said county and to create a highway commission therein.

H. B. 1230, S. B. 1252, an act to create and establish Pleasant Hill Township in the county of Northampton, North Carolina.

H. B. 1081, S. B. 1057, an act to revise the present and to recharter and reincorporate the town of Dunn.

H. B. 1554, S. B. 492, an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Pitt County.

H. B. 1660, S. B. 1062, an act to amend chapter 195, Private Laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, so as to change the corporate limits of the town of Tarboro and to redistrict the same.

H. B. 926, S. B. 1107, an act to incorporate the Winton High Grade Public School.

H. B. 1439, S. B. 882, an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Leggett.

H. B. 1662, S. B. 1049, an act to add to the limits of the present stock law territory in Pitt County.

H. B. 1314, S. B. 1148, an act to provide for holding an election in the town of Ayden, Pitt County, North Carolina, on the dispensary question.

H. B. 1283, S. B. 1038, an act to place certain territory in Chatham County under the stock law.

H. B. 825, S. B. 552, an act to punish the willful or malicious taking or removing of the waste or packing from any journal box.

H. B. 1185, S. B. 1105, an act to incorporate the town of Hudson in Caldwell County.

H. B. 1657, S. B. 1072, an act to authorize the Treasurer of the School Fund of Bladen County to pay off the outstanding claims against the county board of education of said county.

H. B. 1454, S. B. 1146, an act to incorporate the Imperial Trust and Savings Company.

H. B. 1497, S. B. 1144, an act to amend chapter 233 of the Public Laws of 1891.

H. B. 1655, S. B. 1066, an act to make certain and establish the line between Bladen and Cumberland Counties.

H. B. 1526, S. B. 1215, an act to provide for the adoption of an official map for the town of Lumberton.

H. B. 1627, S. B. 791, an act to amend chapter 171 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to Pike School District in Cumberland and Robeson Counties.

H. B. 1659, S. B. 1064, an act to amend chapter 39 of the Private Laws of 1903, relative to bonds authorized to be issued by Mount Olive Graded School District.

H. B. 1645, S. B. 408, an act to amend chapter 383, Public Laws of 1901, relative to protection of game in Surry County.

H. B. 780, S. B. 487, an act to prohibit public nuisances in Cross Creek Township, Cumberland County.

H. B. 1651, S. B. 1045, an act to make the Sheriff of Henderson County treasurer *ex officio* of the same.

H. B. 1581, S. B. 804, an act to amend chapter 150, Public Laws 1883, relative to Durham County.

H. B. 1579, S. B. 799, an act to repeal chapter 478, Public Laws of 1899, regulating the holding of inquests in Northampton County.

H. B. 1644, S. B. 1044, an act to incorporate the Methodist Protestant College of North Carolina.

H. B. 1527, S. B. 1216, an act to provide for the repair of the public streets of the town of Lumberton.

H. B. 1309, S. B. 1033, an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for improvement and repairing the roads of said county.

H. B. 414, S. B. 851, an act to extend and limit the time for the delivery of the bonds of Macon County to the Blue Ridge and Atlantic Railway Company.

H. B. 1161, S. B. 950, an act to amend the charter of the city of Salisbury.

H. B. 1382, S. B. 1128, an act to make the female convicts of Rowan County available to the county commissioners of said county for the purpose of cooking and washing for the convict force of said county.

H. B. 116, S. B. 148, an act to incorporate the town of Macon in Warren County.

H. B. 412, S. B. 370, an act to relieve the Board of Agriculture from contributing to the current expenses of the A. and M. College, as recommended by His Excellency, Governor Aycock, in his message of January, 1905.

H. B. 435, S. B. 1108, an act to amend the charter of the town of Maxton in Robeson County, chapter 25 of the Private Laws of 1887.

H. B. 1290, S. B. 1101, an act to incorporate the town of Highlands in Catawba County.

H. B. 874, S. B. 1090, an act to prevent the manufacture, sale or shipment of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the county of Graham.

H. B. 1559, S. B. 868, an act to incorporate the town of Council in Bladen County.

H. B. 1308, S. B. 1150, an act to repeal chapter 321 of the Private Laws of 1895.

H. B. 1352, S. B. 1099, an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Transylvania County, North Carolina, to levy a special tax.

H. B. 1648, S. B. 798, an act to amend section 1050 of The Code, Public Laws of 1899, chapter 355, relative to giving further jurisdiction to process officers in the matter of the unlawful selling and manufacturing of intoxicating liquors in Iredell County.

H. B. 633, S. B. 1022, an act regulating the holding of the courts in Surry County.

H. B. 1576, S. B. 745, an act to correct grant 143 to David Jones in Beaufort County.

H. B. 1608, S. B. 1192, an act to increase the number of Commissioners for Beaufort County.

H. B. 927, S. B. 1106, an act to empower the town of Winton in Hertford County to issue bonds for the improvement of its streets.

H. B. 955, S. B. 345, an act to amend chapter 233 of the Public Laws of 1903, regulating the manufacture and sale of liquors in North Carolina.

H. B. 1383, S. B. 1135, an act to provide a system for keeping up, making, building and repairing of the public roads and bridges in Pamlico County.

H. B. 1171, S. B. 1061, an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Jones County.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1281, bill to correct an error in an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Rutherford County, ratified February 15, 1905, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1188, S. B. 1104, bill to amend chapter 103, Private Laws of 1903, relative to incorporating the North Carolina Mining and Development Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1417, S. B. 1175, bill to incorporate the town of Cronly in the county of Columbus, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1406, S. B. 1208, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Carteret County to levy a special tax, and authorize the sale of the present jail, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1357, S. B. 1296, bill to incorporate the city of Washington, amend chapter 170, of the Private Laws of 1903, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1177, S. B. 1201, bill to incorporate the Southport and Western Railway Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1131, S. B. 939, bill to make a portion of Pamlico County a stock law territory; upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore,

Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

H. B. 1049, S. B. 1185, bill empowering the city of Wilmington to establish, construct and maintain parks, public grounds and plazas, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1301, S. B. 1209, bill to amend chapter 194 of the Private Acts of the General Assembly of the year 1897, relating to the charter of the town of Southern Pines and for other purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1048, S. B. 1218, bill empowering the city of Wil-

mington to pave and improve the streets and sidewalks in said city, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1542, S. B. 1220, bill to allow the Board of Commissioners of Yancey County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1236, S. B. 1204, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Hertford and to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore,

Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1058, S. B. 1182, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Wake County to pay and fund its floating debt, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1478, S. B. 1206, bill to incorporate the town of Cornelius, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1492, S. B. 1180, bill to allow the county of Yadkin to issue bonds for electric railway, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 679, bill to amend chapter 24, Private Laws of 1889, to incorporate the town of Hot Springs, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1023, S. B. 1197, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Onslow County to levy a special tax to pay the bonds issued to build a court-house and for other purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms,

Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1413, S. B. 1178, bill to regulate the working of the public roads in Alexander County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1426, S. B. 1176, bill to provide for additional regulations for the working of public roads in Clayton Township, Johnston County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1280, bill to amend chapter 263, of Public Laws 1903, relative to Spring Graded School in Alamance County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton,

Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1402, S. B. 1219, bill to authorize the Suffolk and Carolina Railway Company to construct one or more lines of railroad in Hyde and Tyrrell Counties, or either of them, and to authorize the said counties of Tyrrell and Hyde, and each of them, to subscribe to the capital stock of said Suffolk and Carolina Railway Company, and to issue bonds and levy taxes to pay for the said subscription, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

H. B. 1233, S. B. 1039, bill to incorporate the Raleigh and Southport Railway Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms,

Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

H. B. 1468, S. B. 1298, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Raleigh in the county of Wake and the State of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1389, S. B. 1137, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Haywood County to levy a special tax to pay off special and specific indebtedness and for the purpose of building a bridge and constructing and working the public roads of Haywood County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1219, S. B. 1102, bill in regard to the stock law in a portion of Faison Township in Duplin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1275, S. B. 1054, bill to have an election on the Sspecial tax in School District No. 4, Unity Township, Rowan County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1172, S. B. 977, bill to amend chapter 481, Public Laws 1903, relative to the stock law in Faison and Wolfscrape Townships, Duplin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1568, S. B. 1312, bill to create a school district in Hertford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

S. B. 1355, bill to amend chapter 71 of Public Laws of 1901, relating to Burlington Graded Schools, Alamance County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

S. B. 1360, bill to require the levy of a special tax in the city of Asheville to encourage industry and promote immigration, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms,

Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 856, S. B. 1217, bill to establish a stock law territory in Beaufort County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1525, S. B. 1309, bill to amend the charter of the town of Lumberton and to provide for an increase of its bonded debt, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1540, S. B. 1316, bill to incorporate the town of Mineral Springs in Union County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore,

Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1099, S. B. 1266, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Green County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1184, S. B. 1267, bill to empower the Board of Commissioners of Watauga County to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1482, S. B. 1234, bill to lay off and construct a public road from North Wilkesboro to Boone, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 854, S. B. 1308, bill to extend the corporate limits of the city of Asheville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1358, S. B. 1310, bill to amend chapter 581, sections 23 and 27, Public Laws of 1899, and chapter 437, section 20, Public Laws 1903, and section 2017 of The Code, and for the working of Perquimans County public roads, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 1179, S. B. 1264, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the county of Jackson to levy a special tax for road purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

S. B. 1041, bill to authorize the county of Stanly to refund the bonded indebtedness of said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

S. B. 1364, bill to repeal chapter 123, Private Laws 1887, and to amend chapter 29, Private Laws 1885, relating to the town of Princeville in Edgecombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston,

Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 16, S. B. 692, bill to amend chapter 273, Public Laws of 1903, for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 227, S. B. 627, bill to cure defective orders to registration of deeds, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 774, S. B. 1448, bill to regulate killing quail and other game birds in Buncombe County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1295, S. B. 1535, bill to amend chapter 551, Laws of 1903, and section 16, chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, to facilitate road improvement in Wake County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 1005, bill to assess the lands of Beaver Dam, Flat Swamp and Gum Log Swamp in Flea Hill Township, Cumberland County, and to construct canals for the drainage of said lands, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1046, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of

liquor within one mile of Methodist Church near Palmyra in Halifax County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1501, S. B. 1143, bill relative to chapter 458, Public Laws of 1903, relative to Polk County road law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1341, S. B. 1265, bill relative to the town of Leicester in Buncombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1712, S. B. 1318, bill to regulate fees of the Treasurer of Martin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1699, S. B. 1323, bill relative to the disbursement of the public school fund of Wake County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1700, S. B. 1324, bill to incorporate the Womble Hook and Ladder Company of Raleigh, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1729, S. B. 1333, bill to amend charter of the Littleton Female College, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1344, bill relative to drawing grand juries in Henderson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1345, bill to provide for the appointment of court stenographer for Franklin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1351, bill to amend chapter 250, Public Laws of 1889, and chapter 410, Private Laws of 1901, in relation to the charter of the Enterprise Lumber Company, and to authorize said company to construct a railroad, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1350, bill to protect deer in certain portions of Bladen County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1352, bill to amend charter of the Methodist Orphanage, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1353, bill to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County to donate and convey certain real property to the Wilmington Division North Carolina Naval Brigade, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1356, bill to prohibit hunting game or fishing on the lands of another in Brunswick County without permission, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1358, bill to create Public Works Commission for the city of Fayetteville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1362, bill to regulate the office of Sheriff and Clerk of the Court of Franklin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1361, bill to submit to the qualified voters of the city of Asheville the question of establishing a dispensary, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1365, bill to amend chapter 365, Private Laws of 1901, changing the corporate limits of the town of Macclesfield in Edgecombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. R. 1366, resolution providing for election of Trustees of the University of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1368, bill for the relief of Mary A. Watkins and J. A. Henry of Anson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1369, bill to change the time for holding the courts of Stanly County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1370, bill to amend chapter 375, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the public roads in Waynesville Township, Haywood County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 738, S. B. 1299, bill to allow the Camden Ferry Company to erect a draw-bridge on Pasquotank River, upon second reading.

Senator Vann presents a memorial of E. F. Lamb against the passage of this bill.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1290, bill to allow the Camden Ferry Company to erect a draw-bridge on Pasquotank River, upon second reading.

The bill is tabled by consent.

H. B. 695, S. B. 1302, bill regulating fishing in Kitty Hawk Bay in Dare County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1518, S. B. 1342, bill to prevent muddying the waters of Little Contentnea Creek for the purpose of catching fish, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1087, S. B. 1341, bill to amend charter of Banking, Loan and Trust Company of Sanford, Moore County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1278, bill to incorporate the Asheville Brokerage and Investment Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1533, S. B. 1237, bill to regulate working the roads in Mannings Township, Nash County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 823, H. B. 886, bill to incorporate the Missionary Board of the Krimmer Mennonite Brethren Church, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1348, S. B. 1335, bill to amend chapter 458, Public Laws of 1903, relative to working the public roads in Polk County, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Alexander, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1464, S. B. 1230, bill to amend road law of Lincoln County, so as to include the two principal streets of Denver, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1634, S. B. 1272, bill to amend chapter 130, Private Laws of 1897, relative to the charter of the town of Lilesville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 808, S. B. 1260, bill to protect dairymen in Buncombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1718, S. B. 1336, bill to create two new townships in Mitchell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1470, S. B. 1231, bill to prevent the obstruction of water-courses of Brooks and Thoroughfare Swamps in Wayne County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 999, bill to prevent overflow of White Oak Swamp by the waters of the Cape Fear River, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1194, S. B. 916, bill to incorporate New River Baptist Church in Nash County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1372, bill to amend the act providing for Superior Courts of Cumberland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1371, bill to change boundary line of Middle Fork Township in Forsyth County, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Eller, the bill is tabled.

S. B. 1373, bill to protect fish in Black River, South River, Little Coharie, Big Coharie Rivers and their tributaries in the counties of Pender and Bladen, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1450, bill to change the boundary lines of Mitchell and Watauga Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1447, bill to change the time for holding certain courts of the Ninth District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1445, bill to fix salaries of officers of Buncombe County, etc., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1444, bill to prevent felling timber and depositing dead bodies in the waters of Brush Creek in Alleghany County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1440, bill to re-establish self-government in New Hanover County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1439, bill to protect game in New Hanover County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1289, S. B. 1429, bill to amend chapter 294, Public

Laws of 1903, relative to time of holding courts in Greene and Craven Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Bryan, the vote by which S. B. 1450, bill to change the boundary line between Mitchell and Watauga Counties, passed its third reading is reconsidered.

Upon motion of Senator Bryan, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1373, S. B. 1422, bill to create Duke Township in Harnett County and appoint justices of the peace and a constable for it, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1765, S. B. 1419, bill to amend chapter 123, Public Laws of 1887, relative to Creek Land in Iredell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1441, bill to protect game in Brunswick County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1702, S. B. 1403, bill to incorporate the High Point Savings and Trust Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1755, S. B. 1399, bill to repeal chapter 189, Public Laws of 1899, establishing a dispensary in the town of Jackson in Northampton County and leaving same to a vote of the people of the town and county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 871, S. B. 1577, bill to confer police powers on Deputy Sheriffs and Constables at Lakewood Park, Durham County, and to prevent public drunkenness there, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 744, S. B. 845, bill requiring certificates of surveyor to be attached to grants to be recorded, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 194, S. B. 570, bill to amend section 3834 of The Code, defining vagrancy, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 1069, bill to amend chapter 55, Private Laws of 1903, relative to furnishing liquors to the guests of the Toxaway Hotel, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 962, bill to publish and distribute the corporation law of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 773, S. B. 920, bill to amend section 3320 of The Code, relative to powers and duties of the Governor, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 743, S. B. 846, bill to require county surveyors to keep a record of surveys and entries of lands, and providing that such record may be read in evidence as other records, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 277, S. B. 623, bill to provide for collecting taxes from persons who have removed from the county after the tax lists have been placed in the hands of the sheriff, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 580, S. B. 499, bill to provide for allotting homesteads in lands held in common, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 668, S. B. 897, bill to amend section 1006 of The Code, relative to buying cotton at night, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 479, bill to authorize executors and administrators to provide gravestones for deceased persons, upon second reading.

Senator Burton withdraws the amendment offered by him.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 388, bill to provide fire-proof depository for county records, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1048, bill to amend chapter 444, Laws of 1889, as amended by chapter 106, Laws of 1901, relative to evidence of a promise or agreement to work, obtaining advances thereon and a failure to comply, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 914, S. B. 1036, bill to authorize the taking of depo-

sitions of the superintendent or any officer of any of the hospitals for the insane, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1108, S. B. 764, bill to amend omnibus liquor law of 1903, chapter 276, and provide a punishment for violation thereof, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1165, resolution concerning the Jamestown Exposition upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator McLean, the bill is referred to Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 1292, bill for the relief of Dr. C. L. Cooke of Wilkes County, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the bill is tabled.

S. R. 1349, resolution to renovate and fix up the Senate Chamber and the Hall of the House of Representatives, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1446, bill to limit the poll tax, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the bill is referred to the Judiciary Committee.

S. B. 999, bill to prevent overflow of White Oak Swamp in Bladen County by waters of the Cape Fear River, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1469, S. B. 1268, bill to change the boundary line between Wilkes and Alleghany Counties, so as to include the mountain farms of certain persons, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1543, S. B. 1238, bill to incorporate Fair View Church in Ashe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1186, S. B. 1247, bill to incorporate the town of Locust in Stanly County, upon second reading.

The amendment offered by Senator Coxe is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1221, S. B. 1248, bill to incorporate the town of Moncure in Chatham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 698, S. B. 1306, bill to provide for the election of Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County by a vote of the people, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1348, bill to amend The Code, relative to Standard-keeper of Beaufort County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1347, bill for the relief of Robert Tripp, Standard-keeper of Beaufort County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1295, S. B. 1249, bill to amend chapter 171, Private Laws of 1897, to incorporate the town of Mayesville, providing manner for holding elections, etc., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1669, S. B. 1301, bill to erect convenient gates in the no-fence territory of Number 8 and 9 Townships, Craven County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 671, S. B. 627, bill prohibiting the sale of cigarettes within two miles of Sharp's Institute in Rockingham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 490, S. B. 936, bill for the relief of E. L. Auberry, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1364, S. B. 1276, bill to authorize and empower the Commissioners of Anson County to have mutilated deed-books and will-books copied, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1121, S. B. 1303, bill to charter the Citizens Loan and Trust Company of North Wilkesboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the vote by which H. B. 1449, S. B. 742, bill to establish Ruffin Graded School District in Rockingham County, passed third reading is reconsidered, and the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Bryan, H. B. 1059, S. B. 934, bill to repeal chapter 814, Public Laws of 1903, so as to provide for a stock law in certain portions of Mitchell County, is taken from the table and placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 729, S. B. 247, bill to regulate conditional pardons, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that that honorable body fails to concur

in the Senate amendment to H. B. 495, S. B. 1055, bill to define place of sale of intoxicating liquors in the State of North Carolina, and that Messrs. Davis of Haywood, Murphy of Rowan and Ehringhaus have been appointed as conference committee on the part of the House to consider the bill.

The President appoints Senators Duls, Vann and Stubbs as conference committee on the part of the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 255, bill to provide for the erection of a building for Halls of Records and History, State Library, offices for Superintendent of Public Instruction, Insurance Commissioner and Adjutant General, Arsenal, Legislative Committees and Storage Rooms, upon third reading.

Senator Zollicoffer moves to amend:

Amend as follows: Strike out in section 4 the words "out of the funds hereinafter provided for" and insert in lieu thereof the words "not to exceed $75,000, one-half to be paid during the year 1905, and the other half during the year 1906, out of the collections from the Insurance Department." Strike out section 7.

The amendment is lost.

Senator Burton moves to amend:

Amend by striking out section 7 and inserting the following: "That the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay out of any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $50,000 for the purpose of erecting the building herein provided for."

The amendment is lost.

The bill fails to pass third reading, ayes 15, noes 22, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Bragaw, Duls, Empie, Jones, Long of Person, Odell, Scales, Stringfield, Toms, Turrentine, Watkins, Webb, Wright—15.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Alexander, Boddie, Burton, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Long of Iredell, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Shaw, Sinclair, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Vann, Williams, Zollicoffer—22.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the Senate adjourns until 9:30 o'clock to-morrow.

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## FIFTIETH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, March 2, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. McNeely DuBose of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Jonrnal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the courtesies of the floor are extended Hon. John R. Webster, former Speaker of the House of Representatives, of Rockingham County.

Upon request, Senator Duls is permitted to withdraw from further consideration of the Senate S. B. 795, bill to restrict increasing debts by municipalities.

Upon motion of Senator Duls, S. B. 1206, bill to incorporate the town of Cornelius, is recalled from the office of the Enrolling Clerk.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Person, H. B. 1516, S. B. 1437, bill to raise revenue, is made special order for to-mor-

row at 11 o'clock, to be considered by the Senate in Committee of the Whole.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports from standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 1676, S. B. 1326, bill to amend section 2, chapter 582, relative to changing the Cross Creek stock law in Cumberland County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1428, S. B. 1116, bill for the protection of deer in Yancey County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1332, S. B. 1431, bill to complete the construction and properly drain the Trenton and Cove Creek road in Jones and Craven Counties, with recommendation that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted, and the bill is so referred.

H. B. 784, S. B. 1414, bill to repeal chapter 555, Public Laws of 1903, relative to stock law in Richmond County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1720, S. B. 1332, bill to prevent dangerous or vicious dogs running at large, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 916, S. B. 907, bill to prevent sale of any intoxicating liquors near Goldston High School in Chatham County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1227, S. B. 1458, bill to provide for testing water meters, gas meters and electric meters, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1251, S. B. 1151, bill for the better regulation of the manufacture and sale of wine and cider in Tyrrell County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1181, S. B. 1026, bill making it unlawful to lay any poison on land not enclosed by a lawful fence, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 1890, S. B. 1329, bill to repeal chapter 246, Laws of 1899, relating to the incorporation of a church at Yanceyville, Caswell County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1353, S. B. 1275, bill to prohibit hogs from running at large between Nags Head Life Saving Station and New Inlet, Dare County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1546, S. B. 1328, bill to facilitate the collection of taxes in the county of Haywood, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1343, S. B. 1334, bill to prohibit fishing with nets in certain waters in Greene County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1489, S. B. 1274, bill to regulate hunting and fishing in Lanesboro Township in Anson County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1544, S. B. 1271, bill for the better protection of deer in North Carolina, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1474, S. B. 1270, bill to amend chapter 260, Public Laws of 1895, relating to the drainage of Brush Creek in Guilford County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1500, S. B. 1269, bill to regulate the hunting of quail and other game birds in the county of Granville, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 310, S. B. 1258, bill to require section-masters of railroad companies in Pender County to report killing of stock, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1257, S. B. 1256, bill to prevent selling liquor within three miles of Falcon Camp-meeting Grounds in Cumberland County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1486, S. B. 1245, bill to amend section 1865, of The

Code, to protect wild turkeys in Clay, Randolph and Rowan Counties, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1238, S. B. 1255, bill to amend chapter 313, Laws of 1887, and allow an election to be held in the county of Greene on prohibition, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1462, S. B. 1240, bill to amend chapter 554, Laws of 1901, relative to Gum Swamp Church in Pitt County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1425, S. B. 1241, bill to prevent commercial business or cattle-driving upon the public highways of Ashe County upon the Sabbath day, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1522, S. B. 1236, bill to amend chapter 542, Laws of 1903, prohibiting the hunting of squirrels and opossums in the county of Greene between February 1st and October 1st, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1489, S. B. 1235, bill to tax dogs on Roanoke Island, Dare County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1359, bill to repeal chapter 125, Public Laws of 1903, known as the Cumberland County prohibition law, so far as it applies to the city of Fayetteville, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1505, S. B. 1331, bill to prevent the smuggling of whiskey or other liquors into the county of Rutherford, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, H. B. 1790, S. B. 1179, bill to protect people from bear traps and guns in Pasquotank, Camden and Gates Counties, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1728, S. B. 1314, bill to amend an act entitled "An act to protect landlords and tenants," ratified February 28, 1905, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1375, S. B. 1129, bill to protect game at Cape Hatteras in Dare County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1612, S. B. 1211, bill to make a certain glade or

swamp in Pamlico County a lawful fence, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1297, S. B. 1305, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Bethesda Church in Moore County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1356, S. B. 1225, bill to amend chapter 529, section 2, Public Laws of 1897, relative to better drainage in Forsyth and Guilford Counties, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1411, S. B. 1114, bill concerning stock law in parts of Moore and Chatham Counties, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1619, S. B. 1210, bill concerning fowls running at large in Chatham County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1276, bill to protect game in Morehead Township in Carteret County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1051, S. B. 1095, bill to empower the city of Wilmington to remove unsafe buildings, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1488, S. B. 1117, bill to amend section 1847 of The Code, permitting the owners of public mills operated by gasoline, steam or other motive power to charge a toll of one-seventh in Person County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1277, bill in regard to cleaning out Haw River in Rockingham County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 888, bill to elect the Superintendent of Public Instruction of Iredell County by a vote of the people. The committee recommends that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted and the bill is so referred.

H. B. 1617, S. B. 1340, bill to protect certain birds in Gaston County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, S. B. 1443, bill to establish a dispensary in the town of Roxboro, Person County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 1626, S. B. 1187, bill to prevent hunting on the lands of another without written permission in Back Creek Township in Randolph County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 969, S. B. 900, bill to prohibit hunting with steel traps in Chowan County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1287, S. B. 979, bill for the protection of game birds in Macon County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 751, S. B. 728, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the town of Hendersonville to establish a dispensary in said town, and for other purposes, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1407, S. B. 1244, bill to amend the law of weights and measures by striking out provisions of section 2841, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turrentine, H. B. 1412, S. B. 1113, bill to prohibit the killing of partridges or quail in Alexander County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1538, S. B. 1315, bill to enlarge certain stock law territory in Columbus County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 1423, S. B. 1461, bill to prohibit the manufacture or sale of spirituous liquors in certain localities, with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Wright, the bill is made a special order for to-morrow at 11 o'clock.

H. B. 1277, S. B. 1298, bill to prohibit the manufacture and illegal sale of liquors in Union County, and to submit to the qualified voters whether they shall have prohibition, dispensary or bar-rooms, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1616, S. B. 1379, bill to incorporate camp-meetings in Dare County. The committee recommends that the bill be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The recommendation of the committee is adopted and the bill is so referred.

S. B. 1466, bill to repeal chapter 336, Public Laws of 1897, relative to drainage of lands in Davie County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1180, S. B. 1023, bill to amend the stock law of Jackson County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1519, S. B. 1297, bill concerning drainage of lands on Indian Creek from Shull's bridge to Crouse's bridge, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, H. B. 1829, S. B. 1460, bill to amend chapter 155, Private Laws of 1901, prohibiting public drunkenness at Spray in Rockingham County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1705, S. B. 1325, bill to amend chapter 349, Public Laws of 1903, known as the anti-jug law for Cleveland, Cabarrus, Mitchell and Gaston Counties, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1597, S. B. 1190, bill to modify an act to prohibit killing partridges and quail in Swain County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 1472, S. B. 1145, bill to amend chapter 54, Public Laws of 1889, concerning the town of Jason in Pitt County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Pearson, H. B. 61, S. B. 634, bill to prevent misrepresentation in the sale of merchandise. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1780, S. B. 1392, bill to amend chapter 443, Public Laws of 1903, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1448, bill to empower the Commissioners of Cumberland County to regulate the place of execution of criminals, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 984, S. B. 1390, bill to secure speedy trials before justices of the peace, and for paying jurors in justices' courts, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Toms, S. B. 483, bill to amend section 1799 of The Code, relative to the priority of crop liens and chattel mortgages, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Williams, S. B. 1449, bill to empower a succeeding guardian to collect or foreclose a mortgage executed to the former guardian, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 182, bill regulating the duties of notaries public. The committee reports a substitute, and recommends the passage of the substitute.

H. B. 989, S. B. 1092, bill to require Pender County to pay witnesses half fees in cases in which "No true bill" is found, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Empie, S. B. 609, bill to make the *fac-simile* signature used by James W. Price in his capacity as notary public, his true and lawful signature for all purposes. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 1536, S. B. 1313, bill to authorize the Trustees of Sanford Graded Schools to issue bonds, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Scales, H. B. 333, S. B. 758, bill to compel attendance upon the public schools of Watauga County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Long of Iredell, H. B. 1026, S. B. 824, bill to provide for the establishment and enlargement of libraries in public schools of rural districts, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1698, S. B. 1307, bill for the relief of Miss Mary Hugh Stewart, a school-teacher in Robeson County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1387, S. B. 1233, bill to amend section 4, chapter 435, Laws of 1903, as brought forward in Volume II, Revised Statutes, to empower county boards of education to fix time for opening and closing public schools, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1160, bill to incorporate Holman Christian University, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1466, S. B. 177, bill to establish graded schools at Copeland in Surry County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1530, S. B. 1152, bill to incorporate Lenoir College in Catawba County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1944, S. B. 1111, bill to amend section 9, chapter 435, Public Laws of 1903, regulating the apportionment of the school fund of Mecklenburg County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1726, S. B. 1330, bill to authorize the Trustees of the Ashboro Male and Female Academy to convey and sell certain lot in Ashboro, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 976, S. B. 828, bill to incorporate Belhaven Graded School District in Beaufort County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1493, S. B. 1181, bill to establish a new school district in Johnston and Harnett Counties, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1529, S. B. 1397, bill for the establishment, control and maintenance of high school in the town of North Wilkesboro, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1408, S. B. 1172, bill to establish Lucama Graded Schools in Wilson County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1480, S. B. 1232, bill to establish a new school district in Hertford County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1629, S. B. 1394, bill to establish a graded school in Walkertown and vicinity in Forsyth County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1479, S. B. 1202, bill to incorporate the Ahoskie

Graded School District in Hertford County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 591, S. B. 1388, bill to promote the production and publication of school books relative to the history and literature of North Carolina, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1455, S. B. 1147, bill for the relief of T. W. Christian, a school-teacher of Caswell County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1419, S. B. 1243, bill for the relief of S. E. Hogshed, a public school teacher of Wayne County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1547, S. B. 1239, bill for the relief of Mrs. Mamie Little, a public school teacher in Anson County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 960, S. B. 1262, bill to empower the Board of Commissioners of Robeson County to borrow money from the school fund of the county, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 998, S. B. 849, bill to incorporate the Faison Male Academy in Duplin County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1123, S. B. 1198, bill to amend chapter 116, Private Laws of 1903, incorporating the Caldwell Institute in Orange County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1013, S. B. 838, bill to amend chapter 550, Public Laws of 1889, relative to the number of grades in the public schools of Raleigh Township, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1162, bill to change boundary lines of Fairview School District No. 1 in Edgecombe County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1641, S. B. 1406, bill to establish Lake Landing Public School District in Hyde County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1541, S. B. 1404, bill to regulate attendance upon public schools in Yadkin County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1709, S. B. 1322, bill to incorporate the Bowman Academy at Bakersville, Mitchell County, N. C., with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 863, S. B. 813, bill to amend joint resolution, ratified February 3, 1875, relative to school property in Murphy, Cherokee County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1160, S. B. 1199, bill to create a school district in Providence Township, Randolph County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1294, S. B. 1121, bill to amend chapter 407, Public Laws of 1903, relative to Pelham Graded Schools, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1457, S. B. 1427, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Kernersville, Forsyth County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1539, S. B. 1110, bill to incorporate Sandy Ridge Public School District No. 10 for the white race in Union County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 992, S. B. 837, bill to authorize and empower the Board of Education of Buncombe County to pay certain indebtedness, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Insurance:

By Senator Eller, S. B. 1154, bill to prevent fire insurance companies from limiting the commissions of agents of other companies, with an unfavorable recommendation.

Senator Scales files a minority report, recommending passage of the bill.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 740, bill to amend chapter 680, Public Laws of 1903, relating to fire insurance, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Salaries and Fees:

By Senator McCulloch, H. B. 742, S. B. 591, bill to regulate the fees of the County Commissioners of Currituck County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1225, S. B. 1251, bill to allow the Commissioners of Montgomery County and Randolph County to pay Clerks of the Superior Court for making court dockets for judge and bar. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

S. B. 801, bill supplementary to an act relating to the fees of witnesses in certain counties, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 790, S. B. 760, bill to allow the county commissioners of certain counties the same compensation for holding called meetings as now allowed by law for holding regular meetings, with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Stringfield, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1164, S. B. 1139, bill to amend section 1275 of The Code, regulating fees of Register of Deeds of Nash County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1723, S. B. 1337, bill to provide suitable compensation for the Sheriff of Halifax County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1624, S. B. 1212, bill to regulate the pay of the Commissioners of Nash County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1381, S. B. 1130, bill to reduce the commissions of the Sheriff of Rowan County on county taxes, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1355, S. B. 1333, bill to pay the Sheriff of Wayne County salary in addition to fees he now receives, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Fish and Fisheries:

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 1119, S. B. 1385, bill to protect fish in Sappony Creek in Nash County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1370, S. B. 1425, bill to protect trout and red fish in Lumber River, Robeson County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Turner, H. B. 1365, S. B. 1227, bill to protect fish in Lane's Creek in Anson County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 1163, S. B. 1384, bill to protect fish in Stony Creek, Nash County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1254, S. B. 1382, bill for the protection of mullet-fishing interests in Brunswick County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1367, bill to amend act of the General Assembly, ratified February 22, 1905, to prevent the destruction of small menhaden in the waters of North Carolina. The committee reports a substitute, and recommends the passage of the substitute.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Long of Iredell, H. B. 1600, S. B. 1339, bill to incorporate the Jackson County Railway Company, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 558, bill to enlarge the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 608, bill to provide for the stopping of passenger trains, running through county-seat towns in North Carolina, for the purpose of taking on and putting off passengers, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1405, S. B. 1378, bill to provide for the assessment of express and telegraph companies, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Burton, H. B. 1311, S. B. 1123, bill to amend chapter 23, Laws of 1879, to allow Leaksville Township, Rockingham County, to subscribe to capital stock of a railroad. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 673, bill to amend section 2,

chapter 164, Laws of 1899, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 519, bill to amend chapter 444, Public Laws of 1903, relative to overcharge in freight rates, and loss or damage to freight. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

S. B. 1357, bill to regulate the employment and occupation of railway telegraphers, etc., with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 516, S. B. 1436, bill to provide for the assessment of real estate of railroad companies in stock law territory for local benefit. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

S. B. 1434, H. B. 929, bill to authorize the Corporation Commission to require the establishment of depots on railroads within two miles of existing depots, when there is no public highway to said existing depot, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1483, S. B. 1338, bill to prevent persons entering railroad cars without permission in Robeson and Columbus Counties, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1338, S. B. 1086, bill to incorporate the Raleigh and Durham Power and Passenger Company. The committee reports an amendment and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

H. B. 1481, S. B. 1311, bill to charter the Appalachian Electric Power and Transit Company of North Wilkesboro, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 1618, S. B. 1410, bill to improve the public roads in No. 4 Township, Cleveland County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 981, S. B. 1097, bill to amend chapter 286, Public Laws of 1899, for working and improving the public roads in Watauga County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Moore, H. B. 1369, S. B. 1131, bill concerning good roads in Ashe County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1709, S. B. 1412, bill to amend the Halifax County road law, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Miller, H. B. 763, S. B. 1430, bill to amend Public Laws of 1903, chapter 443, relative to road tax in Davidson County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 1635, S. B. 1380, bill regulating the use of traction engines on the macadamized roads of Durham County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1137, S. B. 1386, bill to establish Blair's Fork and Yadkin Valley Turnpike. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

H. B. 1775, S. B. 1400, bill to protect macadam public roads and highways of the county of Durham. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Vann, H. B. 1613, S. B. 1402, bill to amend charter of Aurora, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Watkins, H. B. 1524, S. B. 1214, bill to amend chapter 268, Private Laws of 1903, relative to the town of Pactolus, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 605, S. B. 1432, bill to incorporate the town of Maupin in Pitt County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 1682, S. B. 1393, bill to amend charter of the town of Lincolnton, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1595, S. B. 1413, bill to amend charter of the town of Waynesville, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1456, S. B. 1426, bill to amend chapter 247, Private

Laws of 1889, to allow Kernersville in Forsyth County to vote bonds to build street car line, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1640, S. B. 1407, bill to amend chapter 137, Private Laws of 1887, and repeal chapter 300, Private Laws of 1901, in regard to the charter of the town of Kernersville in Forsyth County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1609, S. B. 1418, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to pay off its existing indebtedness, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Watkins, H. B. 1773, S. B. 1401, bill to amend charter of the town of Ashboro in Randolph County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Vann, H. B. 1342, S. B. 1383, bill to repeal chapter 108, Public Laws of 1874-75, relative to charter of the town of Weaverville in Buncombe County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McLean, H. B. 1771, S. B. 1411, bill to amend act passed at the present session of the General Assembly, incorporating Haywood in Chatham County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1451, bill to amend H. B. 1760, S. B. 551, passed at the present session, in regard to sawdust in the streams of Swain County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 746, S. B. 1375, bill to amend charter of the town of Pine Bluff in Moore County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 620, S. B. 1395, bill to incorporate the town of Garner in Wake County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1534, S. B. 1423, bill to empower the Board of Commissioners of McDowell County to settle the debt of McDowell County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator McLean, H. B. 1507, S. B. 1417, bill to define

the corporate limits of the town of Boyette in Wilson County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 861, S. B. 1424, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Stanly County to refund bonded indebtedness of said county, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Health:

By Senator Shaw, S. B. 1354, to provide a certain place for holding the annual meetings of the Board of Dental Examiners, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Moore, H. B. 1415, S. B. 1242, bill to tax peddlers of medicine, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Judicial Districts:

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 1442, bill to change the Eleventh and Thirteenth Judicial Districts, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 1509, S. B. 1213, bill to repeal chapter 493, Public Laws of 1893, repealing the law requiring a special license from county commissioners to hunt game in Brunswick County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1371, S. B. 1229, bill to amend chapter 549, Public Laws of 1899, relative to prohibition, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1684, S. B. 1304, bill to prohibit the manufacture or retailing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one mile of Walnut Grove Church in Wilkes County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Duls, H. B. 1197, S. B. 982, bill to protect foxes in Rockingham County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Vann, S. R. 1078, resolution in favor of M. A. Bledsoe. The committee reports the resolution without prejudice.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the resolution is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 1305, S. B. 1120, bill to amend section 1, chapter 518, Public Laws of 1901, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Scales, H. B. 1234, S. B. 1253, bill to amend chapter 95, Laws of 1891, establishing a graded school for the town of East Bend in Yadkin County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Boddie, H. B. 709, S. B. 922, bill for the relief of Alexander Baker, former Superintendent of Public Instruction for Granville County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 971, S. B. 901, bill for the relief of M. A. Barnes, public school teacher of Chatham County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 999, S. B. 852, bill for the relief of Mrs. Lizzie Williford, a school-teacher of Granville County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Insurance:

By Senator Odell, H. B. 1005, S. B. 1052, bill to amend chapter 15, Private Laws of 1895, relating to Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Association, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Boddie, H. B. 959, S. B. 924, bill for the relief of Miss Roena Moore, a school-teacher of Durham County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Boddie, H. B. 1232, S. B. 1376, bill to amend chapter 131, Private Laws of 1903, to allow a vote on the question of a dispensary in the town of Wilson, N. C. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Wright, S. B. 1076, bill to authorize and empower the Corporation Commission to establish a depot at Burch. The committee reports a substitute, and recommends the passage of the substitute.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Moore, S. B. 1081, bill to prevent useless waste of timber, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

Senator Burton files the report of the Conference Committee to consider H. B. 1449, S. B. 742, bill to establish Ruffin Graded School in Rockingham County, with recommendation that the House recede from its amendment, and with request that the House accept the Senate amendment.

The report of the committee is adopted.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 1080, bill to incorporate the Mecklenburg Power and Traction Company. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SOUTH DAKOTA JUDGMENT AND SCHAFER BONDS.

Senator Zollicoffer, for the committee, submits the following report:

*To the Honorable the General Assembly of North Carolina:*

GENTLEMEN.—The committee to whom was referred the matter of the South Dakota judgment and the Schafer bonds, to the end that they might carefully consider the same and make some recommendation to the General Assembly, do now respectfully make the following report:

1. That the Governor of the State, with the approval of the Council of State, be directed to settle the South Dakota judgment in the manner deemed by them best to protect the State's interest.

2. That after a careful consideration of the bonded indebtedness known as the Schafer Brothers' bonds, being 242 bonds of the par value of $1,000.00, with the interest on the same for twenty-nine years, and after consultation with the attorneys of said bondholders, the committee unanimously agreed to recommend the following:

The State is to pay the bondholders $892.00 per bond, which is less than par value, and amounts to $215,864.00. This is $447,216.00 less than the principal and interest of the 242 bonds, $179,136.00 less than the first proposition suggested by the bondholders to the Governor, $86,136.00 less than the first written proposition made by the bondholders, printed in the newspaper as a letter to the Governor, and $26,136.00 less than the ultimatum that they offered at the first meeting of this committee. The $215,864.00 recommended by the committee, and accepted by the bondholders, is based (though less) on the settlement of 1879, allowing twenty-five cents on the dollar and interest for twenty-four months, with interest on the deferred coupons, this being in strict accord with the settlement of 1879 and the Democratic Platform.

We believe this settlement is both honest and just, and we therefore recommend that the General Assembly accept and approve it.

Respectfully submitted,

A. C. Zollicoffer,
R. B. Glenn,
A. M. Scales,
Walter Murphy,
J. R. Gordon,
J. B. Coffield,
*Committee.*

We concur in the above:

J. Bryan Grimes,
B. F. Dixon,
B. R. Lacy,
J. Y. Joyner.

Senator Duls moves that the report be accepted and spread upon the Journal, and that the thanks of the Senate be extended to the committee.

The motion is adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Watkins, S. B. 1527, bill to prevent hunting in certain portions of Randolph County unless written permission of the owner is given. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 1528, resolution relative to inviting the National Editorial Association to hold its next annual convention in North Carolina. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 1529, bill to provide a dispensary for the town of Pikeville, Wayne County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 1537, bill to amend chapter 131, Private Laws of 1899, and the charter of the City and Suburban Electric Railway Company of Charlotte. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 1538, bill to amend charter of the city of Greensboro. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 1539, bill to allow the city of Greensboro to use certain moneys for the improvement of the streets. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 1540, bill for the relief of J. T. Bradsher of Caswell County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Bragaw, by request, S. B. 1541, bill repealing chapter 129, Laws of 1903, amending the charter of the town of Columbia, N. C. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Foushee, S. B. 1542, bill to extend the time

for the organization of the Raleigh Light and Traction Company. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Bragaw, by request, S. B. 1543, bill to amend chapter 718, Laws of 1903, to establish a graded school in the town of Columbia. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Wright, S. B. 1544, bill to authorize the Corporation Commission to exempt from the requirement to carry two classes of passengers in certain through trains and certain trains on branch lines. Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 1545, bill to amend charter of the Bank of Fayetteville and the several acts amendatory thereof, and to provide for its reorganization. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Sinclair, S. B. 1546, bill to amend chapter 275, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the Bank of Fayetteville. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 1547, bill to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties of North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Stringfield, S. B. 1548, bill to authorize the Dispensary Commissioners of Waynesville to employ an assistant to the manager. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 1413, S. B. 1178, an act to regulate the working of public roads in the county of Alexander.

H. B. 1470, S. B. 1231, an act to prevent the obstruction of the water-courses of Brooks and Thoroughfare Swamps in Wayne County.

H. B. 808, S. B. 1260, an act for the preservation of the

public health, and for the protection of persons or corporations engaged in the dairy business.

H. B. 679, S. B. 1126, an act to amend chapter 24 of the Private Laws of 1889, to incorporate the town of Hot Springs.

H. B. 698, S. B. 1306, an act to provide for the election of the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County by a vote of the people.

H. B. 1506, S. B. 1200, an act to amend chapter 55 of the Private Laws of 1903, in relation to the furnishing of wines and liquors to the guests of the Toxaway hotels.

H. B. 1765, S. B. 1419, an act to amend chapter 123 of the Public Laws of 1887.

H. B. 1780, S. B. 1429, an act to amend chapter 294, Public Laws 1903, relative to time for holding court in Greene and Craven Counties.

H. B. 362, S. B. 390, an act to empower executors, administrators, administrators with the will annexed, and administrators *de bonis non* with the will annexed to sell land bid in for the benefit of the estate they represent.

H. B. 1570, S. B. 994, an act to amend the Private Laws of 1887, chapter 111, relative to the town of Morehead City.

H. B. 1448, S. B. 774, an act to regulate the killing of quail and other game birds in Buncombe County.

H. B. 1799, S. B. 1286, an act to incorporate the Love Trust Company.

H. B. 1406, S. B. 1208, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Carteret County to levy a special tax for certain purposes and authorizing the sale of the present jail.

H. B. 490, S. B. 936, an act for the relief of E. L. Auberry of Clay County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1188, S. B. 1104, an act to amend chapter 103, Private Laws of 1903, relative to the incorporation of North Carolina Mining, Manufacturing and Development Company, changing name to "Carolina, Glenanna and Pee Dee

Railway and Development Company," to grant it certain powers.

H. B. 1654, S. B. 1272, an act to amend chapter 130, Private Laws of 1897, the charter of the town of Lilesville.

H. B. 1341, S. B. 1265, an act to repeal chapter 327 of the Laws of 1891, relative to the town of Leicester in Buncombe County.

H. B. 1023, S. B. 1197, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Onslow County to levy a special tax to pay the bonds issued to build a court-house, and for other purposes.

H. B. 627, S. B. 227, an act to cure defective orders to registration of deeds, etc.

H. B. 1501, S. B. 1143, an act to repeal chapter 452 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the Polk County road law.

H. B. 1619, S. B. 1342, an act to prevent the catching of fish by muddying in Little Contentnea Creek.

H. B. 1464, S. B. 1230, an act to amend the road law of Lincoln County so as to include the two principal streets of Denver.

H. B. 1835, S. B. 1362, an act to regulate the fees of the Sheriff and the Clerk of the Superior Court of Franklin County.

H. B. 1741, S. B. 1294, an act to increase the number of County Commissioners of Gaston County.

H. B. 1751, S. B. 1164, an act for a division of the liquor tax of New Hanover County.

H. B. 1202, S. B. 392, an act to facilitate the calculation of the present worth of annuities.

H. B. 1321, S. B. 1248, an act to incorporate the town of Moncure, Chatham County.

H. B. 1805, S. B. 1301, an act to reduce the corporate limits of the town of Fountain in Pitt County.

H. B. 1156, S. B. 753, an act to make the May term of Vance County Superior Court a two weeks term.

H. B. 468, S. B. 207, an act to increase the jury tax from two dollars in criminal cases and three dollars in civil cases

to five dollars in all cases where a jury is empaneled in Pitt County.

H. B. 1750, S. B. 965, an act to amend the charter of the city of Fayetteville.

H. B. 1567, S. B. 1060, an act for the betterment of the public roads of Edgecombe County.

H. B. 1686, S. B. 964, an act to submit to the qualified voters of the city of Asheville the question of requiring compulsory education within said city, and to provide for the issuing of bonds and the levying of taxes for the purpose of carrying the same into effect.

H. B. 1360, S. B. 1156, an act to provide for the construction and repair of the public roads of Robeson County.

S. B. 993, H. B. 1571, an act to establish graded schools in the town of Morehead City, Carteret County, North Carolina.

H. B. 288, S. B. 55, an act to amend section one thousand and twenty-two (1022) of The Code in reference to escapes.

H. B. 261, S. B. 361, an act to prevent the hedging of fish in the waters of Carteret County.

H. B. 1058, S. B. 1132, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Wake County to issue bonds to pay and fund its floating debt.

H. B. 1321, S. B. 771, an act to amend chapter 14 of the Private Laws of 1897 as amended by chapter 371, Private Laws of 1903, amending the charter of the town of Hamlet.

H. B. 1589, S. B. 1007, an act to allow the town of Madison in Rockingham County to issue bonds.

H. B. 1755, S. B. 1167, an act to authorize the city of Wilmington to establish and maintain an industrial school.

H. B. 744, S. B. 845, an act requiring certificates of survey attached to grants to be recorded.

H. B. 671, S. B. 627, an act prohibiting the sale of cigarettes within two miles of Sharp Institute, Rockingham County.

H. B. 1791, S. B. 1270, an act to amend chapter 174, Private Laws 1899.

H. B. 1108, S. B. 764, an act to amend the Omnibus Liquor Law of 1903, chapter 276, Public Laws of 1903, and to prescribe a punishment for the violation thereof.

H. B. 1644, S. B. 1015, an act to permit the Board of Public Works, with the approval of the Board of Commissioners of the town of Tarboro, to issue bonds to extend, improve and maintain the water, light and sewerage system of said town.

H. B. 1719, S. B. 1310, an act to regulate the fees of the Treasurer of Martin County.

H. B. 695, S. B. 185, an act to disburse equal amounts of money per capita for land and naval forces for encampment.

H. B. 745, S. B. 846, an act requiring county surveyors to keep a record of all surveys of entries of land, and providing that such record may be read in evidence in any action or proceeding, as are other records.

H. B. 277, S. B. 623, an act to provide for the collection of taxes.

H. B. 729, S. B. 247, an act to regulate conditional pardons.

H. B. 1578, S. B. 797, an act for the relief of Cattie Kirby, a school-teacher in Anson County.

H. B. 289, S. B. 56, an act to regulate challenges in civil cases.

H. B. 1729, S. B. 1335, an act to amend the charter of Littleton Female College.

H. B. 1543, S. B. 1332, an act to incorporate Fair View Church in Ashe County.

H. B. 1501, S. B. 1209, an act to amend chapter 194 of the Private Acts of the General Assembly of the year 1897, relating to the charter of the town of Southern Pines, and for other purposes.

H. B. 692, S. B. 16, an act to amend chapter 273 of the Public Laws of 1903, entitled "An act for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows."

H. B. 1375, S. B. 1422, an act to create Duke Township

in Harnett County and to appoint justices of the peace and a constable for it.

H. B. 290, S. B. 58, an act to regulate the proceedings in criminal cases.

H. B. 1745, S. B. 1284, an act to create a new township in Robeson County by taking a part of Lumber Bridge and St. Paul Townships of said county.

H. B. 1177, S. B. 1201, an act to incorporate the Southport and Western Railway Company.

H. B. 738, S. B. 1299, an act to allow the Camden Ferry Company to erect a drawbridge on Pasquotank River.

H. B. 1577, S. B. 871, an act to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at Lakewood Park, Durham County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there.

H. B. 1699, S. B. 1323, an act relating to the disbursement of the public school fund of Wake County.

H. B. 1533, S. B. 1237, an act to regulate the working of roads in Manning's Township, Nash County.

H. B. 913, S. B. 932, an act to incorporate The Asheville and Burnsville Railway Company.

H. B. 1542, S. B. 1220, an act to allow the Commissioners of Yancey County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 1588, S. B. 806, an act to authorize and empower the trustees of Ether Academy to convey by fee-simple deed all or any part of the lot from which said academy was burned on January 25, 1905.

H. B. 1364, S. B. 1226, an act to authorize and empower the Commissioners of Anson County to have mutilated deed-books and will-books copied.

H. B. 32, S. B. 307, an act to repeal the act, chapter 349 of Public Laws 1903, except as to certain counties.

H. B. 994, S. B. 618, an act to amend chapter 715, Public Laws 1901, to allow justices of the peace half fees in certain cases.

H. B. 1695, S. B. 1302, an act to regulate fishing in Kitty Hawk Bay, Dare County.

H. B. 1752, S. B. 1159, an act to change the name of Freeman's Township, Franklin County.

H. B. 1801, S. B. 1239, an act to protect the public roads of Durham County.

H. B. 1299, S. B. 1122, an act to authorize a right of way for a street railway from Hickory to Catawba Springs in Catawba County.

H. B. 1573, S. B. 995, an act to amend the charter of the town of Dallas.

H. B. 1740, S. B. 1283, an act to empower the Sheriff of Franklin County to collect arrears of taxes.

H. B. 886, S. B. 823, an act to incorporate "The Missionary Board of the Krimmer Mennonite Brethren Church."

H. B. 1535, S. B. 1295, an act to amend chapter 561 of the Public Laws of 1903, and section 16, chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, to facilitate permanent road improvement in Wake County.

H. B. 1049, S. B. 1185, an act empowering the city of Wilmington to establish, construct and maintain parks, public grounds and plazas.

H. B. 1469, S. B. 1268, an act to change the line between Wilkes and Alleghany Counties.

H. B. 1669, S. B. 1301, an act to erect convenient gates in the no-fence territory, Eighth and Ninth Townships, Craven County.

H. B. 1646, S. B. 777, an act to appropriate and consolidate the annual appropriations of the Moore's Creek Battleground Association.

H. B. 1450, S. B. 775, an act to require the establishment and maintenance of fish-ways in certain streams in Buncombe County.

H. B. 1557, S. B. 1296, an act to amend chapter 170 of the Private Laws of 1905, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Washington."

H. B. 1087, S. B. 1341, an act to amend the charter of the Banking, Loan and Trust Company of Sanford, N. C.

H. B. 1582, S. B. 810, an act to provide a fund for erecting school buildings in Guilford County.

H. B. 1702, S. B. 1403, an act to incorporate the High Point Savings and Trust Company.

H. B. 1557, S. B. 704, an act to establish graded schools in the town of Beaufort, Carteret County.

H. B. 1718, S. B. 1336, an act to create two new townships in Mitchell County.

H. B. 572, S. B. 1040, an act to incorporate the Dobson Electric Railway Company.

H. B. 1436, S. B. 1176, an act to provide additional regulations for the working of public roads in Clayton Township, Johnston County.

H. B. 1109, S. B. 951, an act to incorporate the Cliffside Railroad Company.

H. B. 1310, S. B. 1149, an act to amend chapter 580, Public Laws of North Carolina, 1903, entitled "An act to amend chapter 581 of the Public Laws 1903, so far as it affects Rockingham County."

H. B. 1796, S. B. 1166, an act to regulate the time of holding the Superior Courts of Bladen County.

H. B. 1747, S. B. 1169, an act for the relief of J. H. Hamric, a justice of the peace for Rutherford County.

H. B. 1417, S. B. 1175, an act to incorporate the town of Cronly in the county of Columbus.

H. B. 683, S. B. 529, an act to amend the charter of the city of Asheville.

H. B. 1295, S. B. 1249, an act to amend chapter 171 of the Private Laws of 1897, incorporating the town of Mayesville, Jones County, providing for manner of holding town elections in said town.

H. B. 1742, S. B. 1285, an act to revive and re-incorporate the "Grove Academy" at Kenansville, North Carolina.

H. B. 1700, S. B. 1324, an act to incorporate the Womble Hook and Ladder Company of Raleigh, North Carolina.

H. B. 1330, S. B. 1011, an act repealing chapter 84 of the

Private Laws of 1897, entitled "An act to incorporate the Auxiliary Board of Health of Edgecombe County."

H. B. 914, S. B. 1036, an act to regulate the taking of depositions.

H. B. 1800, S. B. 1170, an act to repeal chapter 76, Laws of 1887, so far as it relates to Orange and Durham Counties.

H. B. 1754, S. B. 970, an act to amend chapter 297 of the Private Laws of 1901, being an act to amend the charter of the "Atlantic and Northwestern Railroad Company."

H. B. 847, S. B. 1261, an act to amend chapter 483 of the Public Laws of 1899, the same being an act to provide a dispensary for the county of Warren.

H. B. 695, S. B. 266, an act to make fishing with nets, etc., in W. K. Phillips' mill-pond in Franklin County, unlawful.

H. B. 1121, S. B. 1303, an act to incorporate the Citizens Loan and Trust Company.

H. B. 1025, S. B. 1089, an act to incorporate the Humane Society of Washington, N. C.

H. B. 1492, S. B. 1180, an act to allow the county of Yadkin to issue bonds for an electric railway.

H. B. 1194, S. B. 916, an act to incorporate New River Baptist Church in Ashe County.

H. B. 1555, S. B. 735, an act to incorporate the Winston, High Point and Wadesboro Interurban Electric Railroad Company.

H. B. 778, S. B. 223, an act to amend section 192 of The Code, in regard to place of trial of actions.

H. B. 819, S. B. 339, an act to place tablets to North Carolina troops at Bethel and Chickamauga.

H. B. 1569, S. B. 992, an act to authorize the town of Morehead City to issue bonds to pay certain indebtedness, and for other purposes.

H. R. 1827, S. R. 1366, resolution providing for the election of Trustees of the University of North Carolina.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Messages are received from the House of Representatives, transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1810, S. B. 1473, bill to incorporate the Avery-McDowell Camp Confederate Veterans, Burke County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1809, S. B. 1474, bill to amend the charter of the city of Monroe, to authorize the aldermen to establish fire limit. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1806, S. B. 1575, bill to protect fish in Black River. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1822, S. B. 1476, bill to prevent sawdust from running into certain streams in Mitchell County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1598, S. B. 1477, bill to amend Laws 1887, chapter 199, by making it apply to peanuts as well as seed cotton. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1680, S. B. 1478, bill to fix the time for holding the Superior Courts for the Fifth Judicial Districts. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1762, S. B. 1479, bill to allow the Perpetual Insurance Company and the Protection Insurance Company further time to begin business. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1643, S. B. 1050, bill for the betterment of the public roads of Pitt County, for concurrence.

H. B. 1823, S. B. 1480, bill to prohibit hedging and fishing with traps in Bear Creek in Lenoir County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 1820, S. B. 1481, bill to allow the Treasurer of the Board of Education of Hyde County to pay Annie Bridgman, teacher in white school district, No. 1, the sum of $7.68. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1689, S. B. 1482, bill to establish a graded school in

the town of Kings Mountain. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1697, S. B. 1483, bill to incorporate the Southport, Northern and Western Railroad Company. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1671, S. B. 1484, bill to regulate the stock law in White Oak Township, Bladen County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1701, S. B. 1485, bill to authorize the city of Washington to issue additional school bonds. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1710, S. B. 1486, bill to amend the charter of the town of Spencer Mountain Mills. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1715, S. B. 1487, bill to amend chapter 483, Public Laws of 1903, concerning the graded schools at Pilot Mountain. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1830, S. B. 1488, bill to amend the charter of the Bank of Cape Fear. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1790, S. B. 1489, bill requiring stock law fence commissioners to provide hitching-posts at stock law gates in the county of Cumberland. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1819, S. B. 1490, bill to amend chapter 319, Public Laws of 1903, incorporating Powellsville M. E. Church in Bertie County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1777, S. B. 1491, bill to submit question of dispensary to the qualified voters of Dunn, Harnett County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1805, S. B. 1492, bill to appoint E. S. Simmons a justice of the peace for Beaufort County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1783, S. B. 1493, bill to provide for the election of Mayor of the town of Sanford by the popular vote of the people at the regular election of aldermen. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 957, S. B. 1494, bill to change the time for holding certain courts of the First Judicial District. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1135, S. B. 1495, bill supplemental to H. B. No. 126, being an act to establish a graded school in the town of Rhodhiss in Caswell County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1631, S. B. 1496, bill for the relief of P. A. Fore and the Alma Lumber Company. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1721, S. B. 1497, bill to establish a dispensary in the town of Falkland. The bill is referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1681, S. B. 1498, bill to include Washington County in H. B. 279, S. B. 572. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1706, S. B. 1499, bill to repeal chapter 156, Public Laws 1899, relating to hunting in Yadkin County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1707, S. B. 1500, bill to regulate fishing in Pamlico County. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 1683, S. B. 1501, bill to amend chapter 36, Private Laws 1876, and to extend the charter of the Oxford Colored Educational Association. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1674, S. B. 1502, bill to permit J. T. Canady to give magic lantern exhibitions without license tax. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1653, S. B. 1009, bill to protect game in Carteret County, for concurrence in House amendment. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1623, S. B. 1503, bill for the relief of J. A. Shepherd, a school-teacher in Ashe County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 724, S. B. 434, bill to require the re-running and re-marking of a portion of the boundary line of this State

and the State of South Carolina, for concurrence in House amendment. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1703, S. B. 1504, bill to amend chapter 2, Public Laws 1901, relating to corporations. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 1476, S. B. 1505, bill to amend section 3436 of The Code, relating to conveyance of convicts. Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

H. B. 1244, S. B. 1506, bill relating to the assignment of judges to certain districts by the Governor in case of sickness or other unavoidable accident. Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

H. B. 761, S. B. 1507, bill to amend section 550 of The Code, in reference to serving papers on appeal to Supreme Court. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1204, S. B. 637, bill to amend chapter 498, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the anti-jug law of Pender County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar for concurrence in House amendment.

H. B. 1808, S. B. 1508, bill to further amend chapter 483, Public Laws of 1903, in relation to graded schools at Pilot Mountain. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1812, S. B. 1509, bill to repeal chapter 159, Public Laws of 1901, being an act to exempt D. V. Davis of Davie County from license tax. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1816, S. B. 1510, bill to provide for the payment of costs in the Supreme Court. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1824, S. B. 1511, bill for the relief of D. L. Stone, an ex-Confederate soldier, to sell medicine in the State without paying a license tax. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1825, S. B. 1512, bill to increase the number of Commissioners of Columbus County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1826, S. B. 1513, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Anson and Union Counties to survey and locate the line between said counties. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1727, S. B. 1514, bill to submit to the qualified voters the question of the extension of the Graded School District of Oxford. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1730, S. B. 1515, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Harnett County to work convicts upon the public roads of said county. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1517, S. B. 1516, bill to amend the charter of the town of Rose Hill in Duplin County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1503, S. B. 1517, bill to incorporate the town of Creedmoor in the county of Granville. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1410, S. B. 1518, bill to change the corporate limits of the town of Lumberton. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 809, S. B. 1519, bill to amend chapter 367, Public Laws of 1885, relating to stock law in Richmond County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1831, S. B. 1520, bill to incorporate the town of Coats in Harnett County. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1679, S. B. 1521, bill to regulate the sale of fish in wooden packages. Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 171, S. B. 1472, bill to establish an additional term of Superior Court for Montgomery County and other changes from civil to criminal not in conflict with courts in other counties in this district. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 568, S. B. 1473, bill to change the time for holding February and May terms of the Superior Court of Haywood County. Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

H. B. 1512, S. B. 1526, bill to allow the State Librarian to have a seal and to discharge other duties relative to his office. Referred to the Committee on Library.

A message is received from the House of Representatives requesting the return to the House of Representatives of H. B. 1664, S. B. 1294, bill to regulate fees of county officers.

The bill is ordered returned to the House of Representatives.

Further messages from the House of Representatives are received, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1722, S. B. 1522, bill to amend chapter 276, Public Laws of 1903, relative to prohibition at the town of Saloam in Surry County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1844, S. B. 1523, bill to authorize the Board of Education of Cleveland County to borrow money. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1768, S. B. 1524, bill to prevent usury and extortion in the counties of New Hanover and Guilford. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 1377, S. B. 1525, bill amendatory of chapter 715, Public Laws of 1901, and of chapter 581, Public Laws of 1903, relating to fees of witnesses and officers in certain cases, to apply to Lenoir County only. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1731, S. B. 1530, bill for revising and consolidating the Public and General Statutes of the State of North Carolina as amended. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1339, S. B. 1532, bill to place the printing of the Supreme Court Reports under the control of the court. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1477, S. B. 1533, bill to amend chapter 264, Public Laws of 1897, relating to Crop Pest Commission. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1603, S. B. 1534, bill to submit to the qualified voters the question of repealing chapter 582, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the Cross Creek stock law. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1694, S. B. 1535, bill to repeal chapter 144 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to fishing in Porter Swamp, Columbus County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1704, S. B. 1536, bill to permit the Anson County, Wadesboro Township, road force to work the Wadesboro depot road. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1834, S. B. 1345, bill to provide for the appointment of court stenographers for Franklin County, for concurrence in House amendment. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1154, bill to prevent fire insurance companies from limiting the commissions of agents of other companies, upon second reading.

Senator Toms moves to re-refer to Committee on Insurance.

The motion is lost.

The bill passes second reading.

Senator Toms calls for ayes and noes on third reading.

The call is sustained.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 31, noes 4, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Bryan, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—31.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Bragaw, Eller, Toms, Webb—4.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1653, S. B. 1009, bill to protect game in Carteret County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 637, S. B. 1204, bill to amend chapter 498, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the anti-jug law of Pender County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1834, S. B. 1345, bill to provide for appointing court stenographers for Franklin County, upon concurrence in amendment.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 724, S. B. 434, bill to require the re-running and re-marking of a portion of the boundary line between the State of North Carolina and the State of South Carolina, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1604, S. B. 1428, bill to amend charter of the city of Goldsboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1181, S. B. 1026, bill to make it unlawful to lay any poison on land not enclosed by a lawful fence, upon second reading.

Senator Webb moves to amend:

Amend by adding Buncombe County, and change title to read "to apply to Jackson and Buncombe Counties only."

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1381, S. B. 1120, bill to reduce commissions of the Sheriff of Rowan County on county taxes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1805, S. B. 1492, bill to appoint E. S. Simmons a justice of the peace for Beaufort County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1238, S. B. 1255, bill to amend chapter 313, Laws of 1887, and allow an election to be held in the county of Greene on prohibition, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Ward, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1676, S. B. 1327, bill to change Cross Creek stock law fence in county of Cumberland, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1524, S. B. 1214, bill to amend chapter 268, Private Laws of 1903, relative to the town of Pactolus, amending the charter of said town, upon second reading.

The amendment offered by Senator Fleming is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 1467, bill to amend section 739 of The Code, relative to costs to be paid in certain cases, to apply to New Hanover County only, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1788, S. B. 1459, bill to levy a special tax to construct an iron bridge across the Trent River at Pollocksville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Upon request Senator Eller is permitted to withdraw S. B. 1468, bill in regard to the public roads of Forsyth County and to make certain changes, from the further consideration of the Senate.

S. B. 1469, bill to prevent floating sawdust in certain streams in Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1470, bill to amend section 907 of The Code, relative to removal of causes from mayors of towns, upon second reading.

Senator Scales moves to amend:

Amend by adding: "Provided, this act shall apply only to New Hanover County."

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1673, S. B. 1454, bill to allow the Commissioners of Onslow and Pender Counties to have the line between said counties surveyed and established, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 318, S. B. 330, bill to protect trapping interests in Dare County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 881, S. B. 1457, bill to amend the charter of Mars Hill College in Madison County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1621, S. B. 1456, bill to abolish the office of Standard-keeper in Yancey County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1716, S. B. 1455, bill to change the time of meeting of Road Supervisors in Stokes County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 171, S. B. 1472, bill to establish an additional term of Superior Court for Montgomery County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1810, S. B. 1473, bill to incorporate the McDowell Camp Confederate Veterans in Burke County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1809, S. B. 1474, bill to amend charter of the city of Monroe, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1478, H. B. 1680, bill to fix the time for holding Superior Courts of the Fifth Judicial District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1820, S. B. 1481, bill to allow the board of education to pay Miss Annie Bridgman, a school-teacher of Hyde County, $7.65, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1830, S. B. 1488, bill to amend charter of the Bank of Cape Fear, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1790, S. B. 1489, bill requiring the Stock Law Fence Commissioners to provide hitching-posts at stock law gates in the county of Cumberland, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1777, S. B. 1491, bill to submit question of dispensary or no dispensary to the qualified voters of Dunn in Harnett County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1783, S. B. 1493, bill to provide for the election of the Mayor of the town of Sanford by a vote of the people, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1135, S. B. 1495, bill supplemental to H. B. 126, to establish graded schools in the town of Rhodhiss in Caldwell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1631, S. B. 1496, bill for the relief of P. A. Fore and the Alma Lumber Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1683, S. B. 1501, bill to amend chapter 36, Private Laws of 1876, and extend charter of the Oxford Colored Educational Association, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1623, S. B. 1503, bill for the relief of J. A. Shepherd, a school-teacher of Ashe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1808, S. B. 1508, bill to amend chapter 483, Public Laws of 1903, relative to graded schools at Pilot Mountain, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1825, S. B. 1512, bill to increase the number of Commissioners of Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1826, S. B. 1513, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Anson County and Union County to survey and locate the line between said counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1844, S. B. 1523, bill to authorize the Board of Education of Cleveland County to borrow money, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1377, S. B. 1525, bill amendatory of chapter 715, Public Laws of 1901, relating to the fees of witnesses and officers in certain counties, to apply to Lenoir County only, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1527, bill to prevent hunting in certain portions of Randolph County unless written permission of the owner is given, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1529, bill to provide for dispensary for the town of Pikeville in Wayne County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1339, S. B. 1532, bill to place printing of Supreme Court reports under control of the court, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1477, S. B. 1533, bill to amend chapter 264, Public Laws of 1897, relative to Crop Pest Commission, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1694, S. B. 1535, bill to repeal chapter 144, Public Laws of 1903, relative to fishing in Porter's Swamp in Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1704, S. B. 1536, bill to permit the Anson County, Wadesboro Township, road force to work the Wadesboro depot road, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1539, bill to allow the city of Greensboro to use certain moneys for the improvement of its streets, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1540, bill for the relief of J. T. Bradsher of Caswell County, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the bill is referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 959, S. B. 924, bill for the relief of Miss Roena Moore, a school-teacher of Durham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 709, S. B. 922, bill for the relief of Alexander Baker, former Superintendent of Public Instruction for Granville County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 971, S. B. 901, bill for the relief of M. A. Barnes, a school-teacher of Chatham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 999, S. B. 852, bill for the relief of Mrs. Lizzie Williford, a school-teacher of Granville County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1005, S. B. 1052, bill to amend chapter 15, Private Laws of 1895, relating to the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Association of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1232, S. B. 1376, bill to amend chapter 131, Private Laws of 1903, to allow vote on question of dispensary in the town of Wilson, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 1076, bill to authorize and empower the Corporation Commission to establish a depot at Burch, upon second reading.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1776, S. B. 1405, bill to amend chapter 479, Laws of 1901, relating to the analysis of fertilizers, upon second reading.

Senator Burton moves to table the bill.

The motion is lost.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, the bill is referred to the Judiciary Committee.

S. B. 1464, bill to make place of delivery the place of sale of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors in Iredell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1080, bill to incorporate the Mecklenburg Power and Traction Company, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1415, S. B. 1242, bill to tax peddlers of medicines, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1762, S. B. 1479, bill to allow the Perpetual Insurance Company and the Protection Insurance Company further time to begin business, upon second reading.

Upon motion, the bill is referred to the Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 1462, S. B. 1240, bill to amend chapter 554, Laws of 1901, relative to Gum Swamp Church, Pitt County, upon second reading.

The amendment offered by Senator Fleming is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 1442, bill to change the Eleventh and Thirteenth Judicial Districts of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1541, bill repealing chapter 129, Laws of 1903, amending charter of the town of Columbia, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1542, bill to extend the time for organization of the Raleigh Light and Traction Company, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the bill is referred to the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission.

S. B. 1545, bill to amend charter of the Bank of Fayetteville and the several acts amendatory thereof, and provide for its reorganization, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1546, bill to amend chapter 275, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the Bank of Fayetteville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. R. 1528, resolution relative to inviting the National Editorial Association to hold its next annual meeting in North Carolina, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 182, bill relating to duties of notaries public, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 884, bill requesting Senators and Representatives in Congress from this State to introduce and support an amendment to the pension laws, which shall place on the pension roll all disabled and deserving Confederate soldiers, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the bill is made the special order for 12 o'clock to-morrow.

S. B. 807, bill to pay Solicitors of the State a stipulated salary instead of fees, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Pearson, the bill is made special order for to-morrow at 11 o'clock.

H. B. 987, S. B. 1433, bill to request our Senators and Representatives in Congress to support a law that will permit farmers and growers of tobacco to manufacture and sell the same in any quantity or form, free from any tax or charge, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 433, bill to amend section 2222 of The Code, so as to promote agriculture by encouraging county fairs, upon second reading.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1346, resolution relating to inland waterway and requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to

use their influence to secure its construction, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1378, S. B. 1224, bill to amend chapter 349, Public Laws of 1903, known as the anti-jug law for Mitchell, Cleveland, Cabarrus and Gaston Counties, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 1078, resolution in favor of M. A. Bledsoe, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the resolution is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, H. B. 1610, S. B. 1189, bill to regulate primary elections in New Hanover County, is withdrawn from the Committee on Elections and placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1468, S. B. 1298, bill to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Raleigh in the county of Wake, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1179, S. B. 1264, bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the county of Jackson to levy a special tax for road purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1358, S. B. 1310, bill to amend chapter 581, sections 23 and 27, Public Laws of 1899, and chapter 437, section 20, Public Laws of 1903, and section 2017 of The Code, and for the working of the public roads of Perquimans County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1604, S. B. 1428, bill to amend the charter of the city of Goldsboro, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Ire-

dell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1495, S. B. 1438, bill to incorporate the town of Roaring River in Wilkes County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 854, S. B. 1308, bill to extend the corporate limits of the city of Asheville, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1099, S. B. 1266, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Greene County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1184, S. B. 1267, bill to empower the Board of Commissioners of Watauga County to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 856, S. B. 1217, bill to establish a stock law territory in Beaufort County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1482, S. B. 1234, bill to lay off and construct a public road from North Wilkesboro to Boone, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

H. B. 1540, S. B. 1316, bill to incorporate the town of Mineral Springs in Union County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1525, S. B. 1309, bill to amend the charter of the town of Lumberton and to provide for an increase of its bonded debt, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northamp-

ton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1538, S. B. 1315, bill to enlarge a certain stock law territory in Columbus County and prevent live stock from running at large therein, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

S. B. 1355, bill to amend section 71, chapter 4 of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to Burlington Graded School, Alamance County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1478, S. B. 1206, bill to incorporate the town of Cornelius, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered sent to the House for concurrence in Senate amendment.

H. B. 1568, S. B. 1312, bill to create a school district in Hertford County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1172, S. B. 977, bill to amend chapter 481, Public Laws 1903, relative to the stock law in Faison and Wolfscrape Townships in Duplin County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1275, S. B. 1054, bill to have an election on the special tax in School District No. 4, Unity Township, Rowan County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1219, S. B. 1102, bill in regard to the stock law in a portion of Faison Township, Duplin County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1434, S. B. 1173, bill to charter the Kinston and Cape Fear Railroad Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales,

Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1360, bill to require the levy of a special tax in the city of Asheville to encourage industry and promote immigration, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1041, bill to authorize the county of Stanly to refund the bonded indebtedness of said county, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1364, bill to repeal chapter 29, Private Laws 1885, relating to the town of Princeville in Edgecombe County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1389, S. B. 1137, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Haywood County to levy a special and specific tax to pay off indebtedness and for the purpose of building a bridge and constructing and working the public roads of Haywood County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

H. B. 1457, S. B. 1427, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Kernersville, Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turren-

tine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1351, S. B. 1377, bill to provide for the working of the public roads in Hyde County and for levying of a tax therefor, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1604, S. B. 1428, bill to amend the charter of the city of Goldsboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1466, S. B. 1177, bill to establish a graded school at Copeland in Surry County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turren-

tine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1594, S. B. 1420, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Wake County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of working and improving the public roads of said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1123, S. B. 1198, bill to amend chapter 116 of the Private Laws of 1903, incorporating Caldwell Institute Graded School in Orange County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1618, S. B. 1410, bill to incorporate the public roads in No. 4 Township in Cleveland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton,

Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1479, S. B. 1202, bill to incorporate the Ahoskie Graded School District in Hertford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1629, S. B. 1394, bill to establish a graded school in Warrenton and vicinity in Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1529, S. B. 1397, bill for the establishment, control and maintenance of graded schools in the town of North Wilkesboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1493, S. B. 1181, bill to establish a new school district in Johnston County and Harnett County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 976, S. B. 828, bill to incorporate the Belhaven Graded School District in Beaufort County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1536, S. B. 1313, bill to authorize Trustees of Sanford Graded Schools to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1481, S. B. 1311, bill to charter the Appalachian Electric Power and Trust Company of North Wilkesboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1605, S. B. 1432, bill to incorporate the town of Maupin in Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1344, S. B. 1195, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Franklinton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1345, S. B. 1223, bill to provide good roads in Franklinton Township, Franklin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1429, S. B. 1174, bill to establish a Board of Permanent Improvement and to enable the town of Elizabeth City to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1408, S. B. 1172, bill to establish the Lucama Graded Schools in Wilson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1613, S. B. 1402, bill to amend the charter of Aurora, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1595, S. B. 1413, bill to amend the charter of the town of Waynesville and to provide for the paving and improvement of the streets in said town, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1640, S. B. 1407, bill amending chapter 137, Private Laws 1887, and repealing chapter 300, Private Laws 1901, in regard to charter of the town of Kernersville, Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1456, S. B. 1426, bill to amend chapter 247, Private Laws 1889, to allow Kernersville, Forsyth County, to vote bonds to build street car line, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Coxe, Crisp, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1609, S. B. 1418, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to pay its existing indebtedness, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales,

Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1620, S. B. 1395, bill to incorporate the town of Garner in the county of Wake, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp; Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1534, S. B. 1423, bill to empower the Board of County Commissioners of McDowell County to compromise, commute and settle the debt of McDowell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 746, S. B. 1375, bill to amend charter of the town of Pine Bluff in Moore County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northamp-

ton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1317, S. B. 1222, bill to create a charter for Elizabeth City, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1160, S. B. 1199, bill creating a school district in Providence Township, Randolph County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 1641, S. B. 1406, bill to establish the Lake Landing Graded School District in Hyde County, and to levy a special tax therefor, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northamp-

ton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

H. B. 861, S. B. 1424, bill to authorize the county of Stanly to refund the bonded indebtedness of said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—38.

By consent Senator Burton introduces S. B. 1531, bill supplemental to an act providing for additional terms of court in Rockingham County, and it is placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill passes its several readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

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is resumed.

H. B. 1428, S. B. 1116, bill for the protection of deer in Yancey County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1720, S. B. 1332, bill to prevent dangerous or vicious dogs running at large, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 916, S. B. 907, bill to prohibit the sale of any intoxicating liquors near Goldston Academy in Chatham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1353, S. B. 1275, bill to prohibit hogs running at large between Nags Head Life Saving Station and New Inlet in Dare County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1343, S. B. 1334, bill to prohibit fishing with nets in certain waters in Greene County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1546, S. B. 1328, bill to facilitate the collection of taxes in the county of Haywood, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1498, S. B. 1274, bill to regulate hunting and fishing in Lanesboro Township in Anson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1544, S. B. 1271, bill for the better protection of deer in North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1474, S. B. 1270, bill to amend chapter 260, Public Laws of 1895, relative to the drainage of Brush Creek in Guilford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1500, S. B. 1269, bill to regulate hunting quail and other game birds in Granville County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 310, S. B. 1258, bill requiring section-masters of railroads in Pender County to report killing of stock, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1257, S. B. 1256, bill to prevent the sale of liquor within three miles of Falcon Camp-meeting Grounds in Cumberland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1486, S. B. 1245, bill to amend section 1865 of The Code, to protect wild turkeys in Clay, Randolph and Rowan Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1425, S. B. 1241, bill to prevent commercial business or cattle-driving upon the public highways of Ashe County on the Sabbath day, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1522, S. B. 1236, bill to amend chapter 542, Laws of 1903, prohibiting the hunting of squirrels and opossums in the county of Greene between February 1st and October 1st, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1489, S. B. 1235, bill to tax dogs on the Roanoke Island in Dare County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1505, S. B. 1331, bill to prevent smuggling of whiskey or other liquors into the county of Rutherford, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1490, S. B. 1179, bill protecting people from bear traps and guns in Pasquotank, Camden and Gates Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1728, S. B. 1314, bill to amend an act entitled "An act to protect landlords and tenants," ratified February 24, 1905, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1375, S. B. 1129, bill to protect game at Cape Hatteras in Dare County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1612, S. B. 1211, bill to make a certain glade or swamp in Pamlico County a lawful fence, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1297, S. B. 1305, bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Bethesda Church in Moore County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1356, S. B. 1225, bill to amend chapter 529, section 2, Public Laws of 1897, relative to better drainage in Forsyth and Guilford Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1411, S. B. 1114, bill concerning stock law in parts of Chatham and Moore Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1619, S. B. 1210, bill concerning fowls running at large in Chatham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1276, bill to protect game in Morehead Township in Carteret County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1051, S. B. 1095, bill to empower the city of Wilmington to remove unsafe buildings, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1488, S. B. 1117, bill to amend section 1487 of The Code, permitting owners of public mills operated by gasoline, steam or other motive power to charge a toll of one-seventh, in Person County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1277, bill in regard to cleaning out Haw River in Rockingham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 888, bill to elect the Superintendent of Public Instruction of Iredell County by a vote of the people, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Iredell, the bill is referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1617, S. B. 1340, bill to protect certain birds in Gaston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1443, bill to establish a dispensary in the town of Roxboro in Person County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1626, S. B. 1187, bill to prevent hunting on the lands of another without written permission in Back Creek Township, Randolph County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 969, S. B. 900, bill to prohibit hunting with steel traps in Chowan County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1287, S. B. 979, bill for the protection of game birds in Macon County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1407, S. B. 1244, bill to amend the law of weights and measures by striking out the provisions of section 2841, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1412, S. B. 1113, bill to prohibit killing partridges or quail in Alexander County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1466, bill to repeal chapter 336, Public Laws of 1897, relative to the drainage of lands in Davie County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1277, S. B. 1398, bill to prohibit the manufacture and illegal sale of liquors in Union County, and to submit to the voters whether they shall have prohibition, dispensary or bar-rooms, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1180, S. B. 1023, bill to amend the stock law of Jackson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1519, S. B. 1297, bill concerning the drainage of lands in Indian Creek from Shull's bridge to Crouse's bridge, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1829, S. B. 1460, bill to amend chapter 155, Private Laws of 1901, prohibiting public drunkenness at Spray in Rockingham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1705, S. B. 1325, bill to amend chapter 349, Public Laws of 1903, known as anti-jug law of Cleveland, Cabarrus, Mitchell and Gaston Counties, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1597, S. B. 1190, bill to modify an act to prohibit killing of partridges and quail in Swain County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1472, S. B. 1145, bill to amend chapter 54, Public Laws of 1889, concerning the town of Jason in Greene County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1780, S. B. 1392, bill to amend chapter 443, Public Laws of 1903, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1448, bill to empower the Commissioners of Cumberland County to regulate the place of execution of criminals, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 483, bill to amend section 1799 of The Code, relative to the priority of crop liens and chattel mortgages, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

S. B. 1449, bill to empower succeeding guardians to collect or foreclose a mortgage executed to the former guardian, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 989, S. B. 1092, bill requiring Pender County to pay witnesses half fees in cases in which "No true bill" is found, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1609, bill to make the *fac-simile* signature of James W. Price, in his capacity as a notary public, his true and lawful signature for all purposes, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1026, S. B. 824, bill to provide for the establishment and enlargement of the libraries in public schools of rural districts, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1698, S. B. 1307, bill for the relief of Miss Mary Hugh Stewart, a school-teacher in Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1487, S. B. 1233, bill to amend section 4, chapter 435, Laws of 1903, as brought forward in Volume II of the Revised Statutes, to empower county boards of education to fix time for opening and closing the public schools, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1160, bill to incorporate the Holman Christian University, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1530, S. B. 1152, bill to incorporate Lenoir College in Catawba County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1494, S. B. 1111, bill to amend section 9, chapter 435, Public Laws of 1903, regulating the apportionment of the school fund in Mecklenburg County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1726, S. B. 1330, bill to authorize the Trustees of the Ashboro Male and Female Academy to convey and sell a certain lot in Ashboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 591, S. B. 1388, bill to promote the production and publication of school books relating to the history and literature of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1455, S. B. 1147, bill for the relief of T. N. Christian, a school-teacher of Caswell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1547, S. B. 1239, bill for the relief of Miss Mamie Little, a public school teacher in Anson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1419, S. B. 1243, bill for the relief of S. E. Hogshed, a public school teacher in Clay County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 960, S. B. 1262, bill to empower the Board of Commissioners of Robeson County to borrow money from school fund of the county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 998, S. B. 849, bill to incorporate the Faison Male Academy in Duplin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1013, S. B. 838, bill to amend chapter 550, Public Laws of 1889, relative to the number of grades in the public schools of Raleigh Township, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1162, bill to change the boundary line of Fairview School District, No. 10, Chatham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1541, S. B. 1404, bill to regulate attendance upon public schools of Yadkin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1709, S. B. 1322, bill to incorporate Bowman Academy at Bakersville, Mitchell County, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 863, S. B. 813, bill to amend joint resolution ratified February 3, 1875, relative to school property in Murphy, Cherokee County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1294, S. B. 1171, bill to amend chapter 407, Public Laws of 1903, relative to Pelham Graded Schools, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1539, S. B. 1110, bill to incorporate Sandy Ridge Public School District, No. 10, for the white race, in Union County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 992, S. B. 837, bill to authorize and empower the Board of Education of Buncombe County to pay certain indebtedness, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 742, S. B. 591, bill to regulate fees of County Commissioners of Currituck County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1225, S. B. 1251, bill to allow the Commissioners of Montgomery and Randolph Counties to pay Clerk of the Superior Court for making dockets, etc., upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 801, bill supplemental to an act relating to fees of witnesses in certain counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1164, S. B. 1139, bill to amend section 1278 of The Code, regulating the fees of the Register of Deeds of Nash County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1723, S. B. 1337, bill to provide suitable compensation for the Sheriff of Halifax County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1624, S. B. 1212, bill to regulate the pay of the Commissioners of Nash County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1381, S. B. 1130, bill to reduce commissions of the Sheriff of Rowan County on county taxes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1356, S. B. 1333, bill to pay the Sheriff of Wayne County a salary in addition to the fees he now receives, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1119, S. B. 1385, bill to protect fish in Sappony Creek in Nash County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1370, S. B. 1435, bill to protect trout and red fish in Lumber River, Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1365, S. B. 1227, bill to protect fish in Lane's Creek in Anson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1163, S. B. 1384, bill to protect fish in Stony Creek in Nash County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1367, bill to amend an act of the General Assembly, ratified February 22, 1905, to prevent the destruction of small menhaden in the waters of the State of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The substitute reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1600, S. B. 1339, bill to incorporate the Jackson County Railway Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 558, bill to enlarge the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1311, S. B. 1123, bill to amend chapter 23, Laws of 1879, to allow Leaksville Township, Rockingham County, to subscribe to capital stock of a railroad, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 519, bill to amend chapter 444, Public Laws of 1903, relative to overcharge in freight rates and loss or damage to freight, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 516, S. B. 1436, bill to provide for the assessment of real estate of railroad companies in stock law territory for local benefit, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

Senator McLean moves to amend:

Amend by adding Moore and Chatham Counties.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendments.

H. B. 1338, S. B. 1086, bill to incorporate the Raleigh and Durham Power and Passenger Company, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

Senator Vann moves to amend:

Amend by inserting after the word "heretofore," in line 2, section 8, the word "lawfully."

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1369, S. B. 1131, bill concerning good roads in Ashe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1709, S. B. 1412, bill to amend the Halifax County road law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 763, S. B. 1430, bill to amend Public Laws of 1903, chapter 443, relative to road tax of Davidson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1635, S. B. 1380, bill to regulate the use of traction engines on the macadamized roads of Durham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1137, S. B. 1386, bill to establish Blair's Fork and Yadkin Valley Turnpike, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1775, S. B. 1400, bill to protect the macadam public roads and highways of the county of Durham, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1682, S. B. 1393, bill to amend charter of the town of Lincolnton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1773, S. B. 1401, bill to amend the charter of the town of Ashboro in Randolph County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1342, S. B. 1383, bill to repeal chapter 108, Public Laws of 1874-'75, relative to charter of the town of Weaverville in Buncombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1451, bill to amend H. B. 1760, S. B. 551, passed at the present session, in regard to sawdust in the streams of Swain County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1771, S. B. 1411, bill to amend an act passed at the present session of the General Assembly, incorporating Haywood in Chatham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1507, S. B. 1417, bill to define the corporate limits of the town of Boyette in Wilson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1442, bill to change the Eleventh and Thirteenth Judicial Districts of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1509, S. B. 1213, bill to repeal chapter 493, Public Laws of 1893, repealing a law requiring a special license from county commissioners to hunt game in Brunswick County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1371, S. B. 1229, bill to amend chapter 549, Public Laws of 1899, relative to prohibition, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1684, S. B. 1304, bill to prohibit the manufacture or retailing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one mile of Walnut Grove Church, Wilkes County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1197, S. B. 982, bill to protect foxes in Rockingham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1305, S. B. 1120, bill to amend section 1, chapter 518, Public Laws of 1901, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1234, S. B. 1253, bill to amend chapter 95, Laws of 1901, establishing a graded school at East Bend in Yadkin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1548, bill to authorize the Dispensary Commissioners of Waynesville dispensary to employ an assistant to the manager, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1610, S. B. 1189, bill to legalize primary elections in New Hanover County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

ELECTION OF TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY.

A message is received from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that that honorable body has passed a joint resolution for the election of Trustees of the University of North Carolina at 12 o'clock to-day in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

In accordance with this resolution, the Senate proceeds to the election of Trustees of the University.

The list of trustees recommended by the Senate Committee on Trustees of the University is read.

The President appoints Senators Boddie and Pearson as tellers to conduct the election.

The roll is called, and the Senators vote for the various persons nominated.

The tellers retire for the purpose of making up their report.

Upon motion of Senator Eller, the Senate adjourns until 9:30 o'clock to-morrow.

## FIFTY-FIRST DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, March 3, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. I. McK. Pittinger of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Boddie, leave of absence is granted Senator Sinclair.

Upon motion of Senator Toms, leave of absence is granted Senator Coxe.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Jones, H. B. 1722, S. B. 1522, bill to amend chapter 276, Private Laws of 1903, relative to prohibition in the town of Siloam in Surry County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1625, S. B. 1184, bill to amend chapter 43, Public Laws of 1901, in regard to the stock law in Nash County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Taylor, H. B. 1822, S. B. 1476, bill to prevent sawdust from running into the streams in Mitchell County, with a favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1630, S. B. 1207, bill to protect game and fish in Watauga County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1806, S. B. 1475, bill to protect fish in Black River, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 1721, S. B. 1497, bill to establish a dispensary in the town of Falkland, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 809, S. B. 1519, bill to amend chapter 367, Public Laws of 1885, relating to the stock law in Richmond County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 1540, bill for the relief of J. T. Bradsher of Caswell County. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Grady, H. B. 190, S. B. 19, bill to amend section 648 of The Code, to provide for appeals in contempt cases, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1816, S. B. 1510, bill to provide for the payment of costs in the Supreme Court, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1424, S. B. 1125, bill to correct certain irregularities in and validate State Grant No. 3083 for certain lands in Macon County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1614, S. B. 1186, bill to correct State Grant No. 2496 in Macon County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Wright, H. B. 376, S. B. 1188, bill to prevent dealing in futures, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Coxe, H. B. 1334, S. B. 1257, bill to prohibit lawlessness on the public highways in Craven County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

By Senator Mason of Gaston, H. B. 53, S. B. 1453, bill to prevent the fraudulent sale of stocks and merchandise in bulk, with unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 200, S. B. 896, bill to pay Mrs. S. Gillett $40.52. due for direct land tax refunded to the State by the Federal Government, by virtue of chapter 464, Public Laws of 1895, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1601, S. B. 1409, bill to correct State Grant No. 1261, to Nathan Hyatt, in originally Haywood County, but now Jackson County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1769, S. B. 1421, bill to validate certain State warrants or grants, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Williams, S. B. 1070, bill relating to method of proof in indictments for embezzlement, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 288, S. B. 1463, bill to validate the probate of certain deeds and conveyances, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Vann, H. B. 761, S. B. 1507, bill to amend section 550 of The Code, in regard to serving papers on appeal to the Supreme Court, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 363, S. B. 1320, bill to facilitate and cheapen the trial of actions involving interest in real estate, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Burton, S. B. 749, bill to prescribe limitation for actions upon the official bonds of executors, administrators and collectors, and upon instruments made for the purpose of indemnifying the sureties upon such bonds, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Boddie, H. B. 1379, S. B. 1221, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Mocksville, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1388, S. B. 1246, bill to amend Laws of 1887, chapter 421, section 3, relative to Reidsville Graded Schools, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 858, bill to exempt certain boundary from special school tax in Henderson County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Shaw, S. B. 1965, bill to amend chapter 1760 of The Code, relating to landlords and tenants, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1422, S. B. 1124, bill to protect sheep in Haywood County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Banks and Currency:

By Senator Long of Person, H. B. 1258, S. B. 1343, bill to incorporate the Citizens Bank and Trust Company of Southern Pines, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Boddie, H. B. 581, S. B. 854, bill to amend the charter of the Pamlico, Oriental and Western Railway Company, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Finance:

By Senator Jones, H. B. 1824, S. B. 1511, bill for the relief of B. D. Stone, to allow him to sell medicine in the State without license tax, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Odell, H. B. 1622, S. B. 1387, bill to permit C. E. Luten, a disabled Confederate soldier, to exhibit a magic lantern show, etc., without license, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Long of Person, H. B. 1812, S. B. 1509, bill to repeal chapter 159, Public Laws of 1901, to exempt D. V. Davis from license tax, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1674, S. B. 1502, bill to permit J. T. Cannady to give magic lantern exhibition without license tax, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Taylor, S. B. 1537, bill to amend chapter 131, Private Laws of 1899, and the charter of the City and Suburban Electric Company of Charlotte, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 1542, bill to extend time for organization of the Raleigh Light and Traction Company, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 1759, S. B. 1425, bill to amend chapter 50, Public Laws of 1901, relating to the highways, public roads, bridges, ferries and fords, and applicable only to Mecklenburg County and Charlotte Township, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Vann, H. B. 1831, S. B. 1520, bill to incorporate the town of Coats in Harnett County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Justices of the Peace:

By Senator Aaron, S. B. 1547, bill to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties of North Carolina, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Wright, H. B. 1762, S. B. 1479, bill to allow the Perpetual Insurance Company and the Protection Insurance Company further time to begin business, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Toms, H. B. 1076, S. B. 1098, bill to amend charter of the town of Hendersonville in Henderson County. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Toms, S. B. 707, bill to pay T. H. Tatum a reward of $200 justly due him for capturing one Bud Mebane, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Rules:

By Senator Webb, S. B. 883, bill to pay M. G. McKenzie, a wounded Confederate soldier, $4.00 per day and mileage

for his services as Stationery Clerk in the Senate, Session of 1905, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives, transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1781, S. B. 1547, bill to amend chapter 536, Public Laws 1903, an act to regulate life insurance companies and their government. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1782, S. B. 1551, bill to change the boundaries of the Sanford Graded School District in Moore County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1772, S. B. 1552, bill to build a graded school building in the town of Ashboro, Randolph County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1785, S. B. 1550, bill amending chapter 103 of the Private Laws of 1883, to extend the corporate limits of the town of Madison in Catawba County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1888, S. B. 1549, bill to regulate the fees of the county officers of Forsyth County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1851, S. B. 1553, bill to make appropriations for State institutions. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1665, S. B. 1008, bill to amend chapter 125, Public Laws 1903, known as the prohibition law of Cumberland County, for concurrence. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1837, S. B. 1554, bill to amend chapter 260, Public Laws of 1903, being an act to authorize the Council of State to sell the steamer Lillie. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1548, S. B. 1555, bill to extend the time of organization of Winston-Salem Trust and Deposit Company. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1446, S. B. 887, bill to allow the Commissioners of Bladen County to sell the county farm, for concurrence. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1572, S. B. 658, bill to consolidate and revise the charter of the city of Winston, for concurrence. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1766, S. B. 1556, bill to establish and maintain a graded school in certain specific territory in Wilson, Edgecombe and Nash Counties. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1887, S. B. 1584, bill in favor of Mrs. C. W. Phipps, widow of the late Dr. C. W. Phipps, member of the House of Representatives from Watauga County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1326, S. B. 274, bill to amend chapter 677, Public Laws 1901, to prevent fire wastes, for concurrence. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. R. 250, S. R. 1589, resolution to reimburse W. M. Webb, Shell-fish Commissioner, the sum of eighty dollars, to cover interest due on loan obtained by him to protect the oyster industry. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1467, S. B. 1587, to amend section 874 of The Code, providing that when service of summons is made on the agent, that justice of the peace shall not render judgment by default unless process is served ten days before the return day of same. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 1906, S. B. 1588, to incorporate the Guaranty, Trust and Security Company. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1711, S. B. 1586, to amend the charter of the State Normal and Industrial College. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1201, S. B. 730, joint resolution relative to the compensation and traveling expenses of the pages, for concurrence. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1628, S. B. 1592, to amend section 1005 of The Code, making carrying concealed weapons a felony. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 1637, S. B. 1591, to amend chapter 438, section 6,

Public Laws 1903, relative to service of process on insurance companies. Referred to Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 135, S. B. 1590, to amend chapter 516 of Public Laws of 1903, relative to the oyster industry in North Carolina. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1691, S. B. 1595, incorporating the town of Yanceyville in the county of Caswell. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1892, S. B. 1594, fixing the time for holding the Superior Courts of Wilson County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1475, S. B. 1593, to repeal chapter 555, Public Laws 1891, relating to Bureau of Immigration. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1846, S. B. 1596, to validate certain probates and registrations. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 1946, S. B. 1597, to define the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in certain counties in North Carolina. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1833, S. B. 1598, to re-enact chapter 488 of Laws of 1899, relating to the election of Commissioners of Montgomery County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1817, S. B. 1599, to pay Sallie Caldwell, a schoolteacher of Stanly County, remainder of her salary for the year 1904. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1835, S. B. 1600, to amend chapter 406, Public Laws 1903, relating to the dispensary at Oxford. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1072, S. B. 1601, to prevent the catching of oysters from certain waters near the island of Ocracoke in Hyde County. Referred to Committee on Shell-fish.

H. B. 1836, S. B. 1606, to amend the charter of Pittsboro. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1264, S. B. 703, to incorporate Rocky Point, Pender County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1841, S. B. 1605, relative to the settlement of the

South Dakota judgment and Schafer bonds. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1961, S. B. 1607, supplemental to an act entitled "An act relative to the Superior Court for the County of Martin," being H. B. 283, S. B. 44, and ratified January 20, 1905. Placed upon the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar were taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1408, S. B. 1172, bill to establish the Lucama Graded School in Wilson County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1344, S. B. 1195, bill to establish graded schools in the town of Franklinton, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Turner, Thorne, Turrentine, Vann, Williams, Ward, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1429, S. B. 1174, bill to establish a Board of Per-

manent Improvement and to enable the town of Elizabeth City to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Toms, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1317, S. B. 1222, bill to create a charter for Elizabeth City, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1613, S. B. 1402, bill to amend the charter of Aurora, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1413, S. B. 1595, bill to amend the charter of the town of Waynesville and to provide for the paving and improvement of the streets of said town, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1600, S. B. 1407, bill to amend chapter 137, Private Laws of 1887, and repealing chapter 300, Private Laws 1901, in regard to charter of the town of Kernersville, Forsyth County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1456, S. B. 1426, bill to amend chapter 247, Private Laws 1889, to allow Kernersville, Forsyth County, to vote bonds to build street car line, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of North-

ampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1594, S. B. 1420, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Wake County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of working and improving the public roads of said county, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1457, S. B. 1427, bill to establish graded schools in town of Kernersville, Forsyth County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1466, S. B. 1177, bill to establish a graded school at Copeland in Surry County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1604, S. B. 1428, bill to amend the charter of the city of Goldsboro, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1199, S. B. 1160, bill creating a school district in Providence Township, Randolph County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1641, S. B. 1406, bill to establish the Lake Landing Graded School District in Hyde County, and to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 861, S. B. 1424, bill to authorize the county of Stanly to refund the bonded indebtedness of said county, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1620, S. B. 1395, bill to incorporate the town of Garner in the county of Wake, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 746, S. B. 1375, bill to amend the charter of the town of Pine Bluff in Moore County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Seales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollieoffer—36.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

H. B. 1534, S. B. 1423, bill to empower the Board of County Commissioners of McDowell County to compromise, commute and settle the debt of McDowell County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Seales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollieoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1536, S. B. 1313, bill to authorize Trustees of Sanford Graded Schools to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Seales, Shaw, Somers,

Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1123, S. B. 1198, bill to amend chapter 116 of the Private Laws of 1903, incorporating Caldwell Institute in Orange County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1618, S. B. 1410, bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads in Cleveland County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1479, S. B. 1202, bill to incorporate the Ahoskie Graded School District in Hertford County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Ire-

dell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1629, S. B. 1394, bill to establish a graded school in Walkertown and vicinity in Forsyth County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1605, S. B. 1432, bill to incorporate the town of Manpin in Pitt County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1538, S. B. 1315, bill to enlarge a certain stock law territory in Columbus County and prevent live stock from running at large therein, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1481, S. B. 1311, bill to charter the Appalachian Electric Power and Transit Company, North Wilkesboro, N. C., upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 976, S. B. 828, bill to incorporate the Belhaven Graded School District in Beaufort County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Fonshee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1493, S. B. 1181, bill to establish a new school dis-

trict in Johnston and Harnett Counties, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1529, S. B. 1397, bill for the establishment, control and maintenance of graded schools in the town of North Wilkesboro, N. C., upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1495, S. B. 1438, bill to incorporate the town of Roaring River in Wilkes County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1609, S. B. 1418, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to pay its existing indebtedness, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1509, S. B. 1517, bill to incorporate the town of Creedmoor in the county of Granville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 1517, S. B. 1516, bill to amend the charter of the town of Rose Hill in Duplin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 1730, S. B. 1515, bill to authorize the Commission-

ers of Harnett County to work the convicts upon the public roads of said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 1727, S. B. 1514, bill to submit to the qualified voters the question of the extension of the Graded School District of Oxford, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 1715, S. B. 1487, bill to amend chapter 483, Public Laws of 1903, concerning the graded school at Pilot Mountain, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 1701, S. B. 1485, bill to authorize the city of Washington to issue additional school bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 1671, S. B. 1484, bill to regulate the stock law in White Oak Township, Bladen County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 1697, S. B. 1483, bill to incorporate the Southport, Northern and Western Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 1410, S. B. 1518, bill to change the corporate limits of the town of Lumberton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 1689, S. B. 1482, bill to establish a graded school in the town of Kings Mountain, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 1710, S. B. 1486, bill to amend the charter of the town of Spencer Mountain Mills, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 36, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Bryan, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—36.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1722, S. B. 1522, bill to amend chapter 276, Private

Laws of 1903, relative to prohibition in the town of Siloam in Surry County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1822, S. B. 1476, bill to prevent sawdust from running into the streams in Mitchell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1721, S. B. 1497, bill to establish a dispensary in the town of Falkland, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1540, bill for the relief of J. T. Bradsher of Caswell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 190, S. B. 19, bill to amend section 648 of The Code, to provide for appeals in contempt cases, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1816, S. B. 1510, bill to provide for the payment of costs in the Supreme Court, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1424, S. B. 1125, bill to correct certain irregularities and validate State Grant No. 3083 for certain lands in Macon County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1614, S. B. 1186, bill to correct State Grant No. 2496, in Macon County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1334, S. B. 1257, bill to prohibit lawlessness on the public highways in Craven County, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 200, S. B. 896, bill to pay Mrs. S. Gillett $40.52, due for direct land tax refunded to the State by the Federal Government, by virtue of chapter 464, Public Laws of 1895, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1601, S. B. 1409, bill to correct State Grant No. 161 to Nathan Hyatt, in originally Haywood County, but now Jackson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 288, S. B. 1463, bill to validate the probate of certain deeds and conveyances, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 761, S. B. 1507, bill to amend section 550 of The Code, in regard to serving papers on appeal to the Supreme Court, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1769, S. B. 1421, bill to validate certain State warrants or grants, upon second reading.

An amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 363, S. B. 1320, bill to facilitate and cheapen the trial of actions involving interest in real estate, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 858, bill to exempt certain boundary from special school tax in Henderson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1422, S. B. 1124, bill to protect sheep in Haywood County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1258, S. B. 1343, bill to incorporate the Citizens Bank and Trust Company of Southern Pines, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1812, S. B. 1509, bill to repeal chapter 159, Public Laws of 1901, to exempt D. V. Davis from license tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1537, bill to amend chapter 131, Private Laws of 1899, to charter the City and Suburban Railway Company of Charlotte, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1542, bill to extend time for organization of the Raleigh Light and Traction Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1759, S. B. 1425, bill to amend chapter 50, Public Laws of 1901, relating to the highways, public roads, bridges, ferries and fords, and applicable only to Mecklenburg County and Charlotte Township, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1831, S. B. 1520, bill to incorporate the town of Coats in Harnett County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1547, bill to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 274, H. B. 1326, bill to amend chapter 677, Public Laws 1901, to prevent fire waste, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the Senate refuses to concur.

The President of the Senate appoints Senator Scales as committee of conference upon the part of the Senate on the above bill.

S. B. 887, H. B. 1446, bill to allow the Commissioners of Bladen County to sell the county farm, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The Senate concurs in the amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 658, H. B. 1572, bill to revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Winston, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

## MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from His Excellency, the Governor, Hon. R. B. Glenn, transmitting communication from the Director of the United States Geological Survey, and information relative to the work of the United States Bureau of Fisheries.

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

S. B. 1008, H. B. 1665, bill to amend chapter 125, Public Laws 1903, known as the prohibition law of Cumberland County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The Senate concurs in the amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1670, S. B. 1326, bill to change the time for holding courts in Craven County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 852, S. B. 1576, bill to amend the charter of the Cullowhee High School, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1585, bill to promote the cause of education in Rutherford and Cleveland Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1851, S. B. 1553, bill to make appropriations for State institutions, upon second reading.

Amendments are offered by Senators Webb, Pearson, Williams and Turner.

After discussion the several amendments are withdrawn by their authors.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Senator Webb lodges a motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed third reading.

By consent, Senator Webb introduces S. B. 1603, bill to make additional appropriation of $10,000 per annum to the State Hospital at Morganton.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, the bill is placed upon its several readings.

The bill passes its several readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

By consent, Senator Duls introduces S. B. 1602, bill to promote the cause of education in certain counties.

The bill is read by its title and placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1423, S. B. 1461, bill to prohibit the manufacture or sale of liquor in certain localities, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1837, S. B. 1554, bill to amend chapter 260, Public Laws 1903, being an act to authorize the Council of State to sell the steamer Lillie, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1548, S. B. 1555, bill to extend the time for organization of Winston-Salem Trust and Deposit Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 990, S. B. 1559, bill to secure better drainage of water-courses in Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 502, S. B. 1565, bill to provide for the establishment of a public school district from part of Salem Township in Granville County and Williamson Township, Vance County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1897, S. B. 1566, bill to amend chapter 604, Public Laws 1901, relating to killing deer before the dogs, so as to include Granville County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1433, S. B. 1567, bill to incorporate the Nantahala

Railroad, Flume and Transportation Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1787, S. B. 1569, bill to appoint additional Trustees for Salem Graded Schools and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1881, S. B. 1571, bill in relation to court stenographer for Buncombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1904, S. B. 1572, bill relating to the public legal notices in Buncombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1905, S. B. 1573, bill to protect foxes in Alleghany County, upon second reading.

The bill fails to pass second reading.

H. B. 1845, S. B. 1574, bill to amend the charter of the town of Peachland, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1886, S. B. 1578, bill to amend chapter 229, Public Laws 1899, being an act to incorporate the Methodist Orphanage, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1898, S. B. 1579, bill to supplement a bill or act passed by the General Assembly of 1905, fixing time for holding courts of Craven and Greene Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1891, S. B. 1580, bill authorizing the appointment of a Cotton-weigher for the town of Wilson, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1838, S. B. 1583, bill to limit the Board of Commissioners of Greene County in regard to stock law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1895, S. B. 1568, bill to amend chapter 295, Public Laws 1905, in regard to hunting in Rowan County, upon second reading.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1888, S. B. 1549, bill to regulate fees of county officers in Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1076, S. B. 1098, bill to amend the charter of the town of Hendersonville, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

H. B. 1762, S. B. 1479, bill to allow the Perpetual Insurance Company and the Protective Insurance Company further time to begin business, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1602, bill to promote the cause of education in certain counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 763, S. B. 1430, bill to amend Public Laws 1903, chapter 443, relative to road tax in Davidson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 1887, S. R. 1584, resolution in favor of Mrs. C. W. Phipps, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1894, S. B. 1581, bill supplemental to an act entitled "An act to protect landlords and tenants," upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1835, S. B. 1600, bill to amend chapter 406, Public Laws 1903, relating to the dispensary at Oxford, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

H. B. 1817, S. B. 1599, bill to pay Miss Sallie Caldwell, a school-teacher of Caldwell County, the remainder of her salary for 1904, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1813, S. B. 1598, bill to re-enact chapter 488, Public Laws of 1899, relating to election of Commissioners of Montgomery County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1906, S. B. 1588, bill to incorporate the Guaranty, Trust and Security Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1475, S. B. 1593, bill to repeal chapter 535, Public Laws of 1901, relating to Bureau of Immigration, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1892, S. B. 1594, bill fixing the time for holding the courts of Wilson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1691, S. B. 1595, bill incorporating the town of Yanceyville in the county of Caswell, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the bill is referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1946, S. B. 1597, bill to define the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in certain counties in North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Boddie, H. B. 1374, S. B. 1561, bill to repeal chapter 318, Laws of 1887, is withdrawn from the Judiciary Committee and placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, H. B. 1781, S. B. 1604, bill to amend chapter 536, Public Laws of 1903, regulating life insurance companies and their government, is withdrawn from the Committee on Insurance and placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 135, S. B. 1590, bill to amend chapter 516, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the oyster industry in North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1603, S. B. 1534, bill to submit to the qualified voters the question of repealing chapter 582, Public Laws 1903, relative to the Cross Creek stock law, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Thorne, the bill is tabled.

H. R. 250, S. R. 1589, resolution to reimburse W. M. Webb, Shell-fish Commissioner, in the sum of $80 to cover interest due on loan obtained by him to protect the oyster industry, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1547, bill to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties in North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1731, S. B. 1530, bill to revise and consolidate the Public and Statutory Laws, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bryan, Burton, Crisp, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—39.

Senator Webb offers the following resolution:

*Be it resolved by the Senate,* That the thanks of the Senate are hereby tendered to the Committee on Codification of Laws, and especially to the chairman thereof, for the able, careful and excellent manner in which they have performed their laborious duties in revising The Code of North Carolina.

The resolution is adopted.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Person, the Senate goes into Committee of the Whole for consideration of the revenue bill.

At 5:30 o'clock the committee rises and Senator Foushee, for the committee, reports that the committee has had under consideration the revenue bill, reports progress and asks leave to sit again.

The President lays before the Senate H. B. 1516, S. B. 1437, bill to be entitled "A Revenue and Machinery Act," upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 31, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Wright—31.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that the House of Representatives refuses to concur in the Senate amendment to H. B. 580, S. B. 449, bill to provide for allotting homesteads in lands held in common, and to H. B. 773, S. B. 920, bill to amend section 3320 of The Code, relative to the powers and duties of the Governor, and that the House has appointed Mr. Winborne as a committee on the part of the House to meet with a like committee on the part of the Senate to adjust differences.

The President of the Senate appoints Senator Mason of Northampton, as committee on the part of the Senate on the above bills.

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

H. B. 1961, S. B. 1607, bill relative to the Superior Courts for the county of Martin, being a supplemental act to H. B. 283, S. B. 44, ratified January 20, 1905, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1608, bill to amend chapter 380, Public Laws of 1903, and chapter 615, Public Laws 1901, entitled an act

relating to the road law for Mecklenburg Township, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion, H. B. 1405, S. B. 1378, bill to provide for the assessment of express and telegraph companies and to require them to pay arrears of taxes for the years 1903 and 1904, is taken from the table and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

H. B. 1614, S. B. 1186, bill to correct State Grant No. 2496 in Macon County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Senator Mason of Gaston, for the joint committee of conference on H. B. 773, S. B. 920, bill to amend section 3320 of The Code, relative to the powers and duties of the Governor, submits report, recommending that the Senate recede from its amendment.

The report of the committee is adopted.

Senator Mason of Northampton, for the joint committee of conference on H. B. 580, S. B. 499, bill to provide for the allotment of homesteads in lands held in common, submits report, reporting that the committee recommends that the House recede from its amendment.

The report of the committee is adopted.

## ELECTION OF TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY.

### *Report of Tellers.*

The Tellers appointed on the part of the Senate and of the House of Representatives in the matter of the election of Trustees of the State University, make the following report:

*Joint Report of Tellers on Election of Trustees of the University.*

We, the undersigned Tellers, on the part of the Senate and the House of Representatives in the matter of election of Trustees of the University by the Senate and the House of Representatives, on the second day of March, 1905, make the following report:

For the term expiring November 30, 1913:
B. F. Dixon of Cleveland County.
R. A. Doughton of Alleghany County.
F. A. Daniels of Wayne County.
B. F. Long of Iredell County.
F. W. Hancock of Granville County.
Fred J. Coxe of Anson County.
Charles Price of Rowan County.
Thomas S. Rollins of Buncombe County.
F. S. Spruill of Franklin County.
Claudius Dockery of Wake County.
J. Sprunt Hill of Durham County.
L. I. Moore of Pitt County.
R. T. Gray of Wake County.
J. A. Holt of Guilford County.
Charles E. Jones of Buncombe County.
N. A. Ramsey of Durham County.
A. M. Scales of Guilford County.
George W. Connor of Wilson County.
John S. Cunningham of Person County.
S. C. Bragaw of Beaufort County.

For the term expiring November 30, 1907:
A. H. Eller of Forsyth County.
F. B. Rankin of Gaston County.
Charles B. Aycock of Wayne County.
J. A. Lockhart, Jr., of Anson County.
W. S. Pearson of Burke County.
Charles M. Stedman of Guilford County.

For the term expiring November 30, 1909:
Thomas Ruffin of Meeklenburg County.

For the term expiring November 30, 1911:
Brooke G. Empie of New Hanover County.
Charles F. Toms of Henderson County.

All the above named gentlemen reeeived on the part of the Senate thirty-five (35) votes eaeh.

All of the above named gentlemen received on the part of the House of Representatives eighty-three (83) votes eaeh.

W. S. Pearson,
Wm. W. Boddie,
*Tellers on part of Senate.*
A. T. Grant, Jr.,
J. C. B. Ehringhaus,
*Tellers on part of House of Representatives.*

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the Senate adjourns until 9:30 o'eloek to-morrow.

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## FIFTY-SECOND DAY.

Senate Chamber, Mareh 4, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. G. W. Starling of this city.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correet, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, leave of absence is granted Senator Toms.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Long of Iredell, H. B. 1496, S. B. 1575, bill

to establish a dispensary at Angier, Harnett County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 1681, S. B. 1498, bill to include Washington County in H. B. 279, S. B. 552, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1598, S. B. 1477, bill to amend Laws of 1887, chapter 199, by making it apply to peanuts as well as seed cotton, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1706, S. B. 1499, bill to repeal chapter 156, Public Laws of 1899, relative to hunting in Yadkin County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Burton, H. B. 1637, S. B. 1591, bill to amend chapter 438, section 6, Public Laws of 1903, as to service of process on insurance companies, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 1374, bill to exempt members of fire companies from jury duty after eight years of honorable service as firemen, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1407, S. B. 1587, bill to amend section 874 of The Code, providing that when service of summons is made on an agent, a justice of the peace shall not render judgment by default, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Zollicoffer, H. B. 888, S. B. 1085, bill to reform divorce laws of North Carolina, with favorable recommendation.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Northampton, the bill is made special order for to-day at 11:30 o'clock.

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 251, S. B. 857, bill to regulate the trial of capital cases, etc. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

H. B. 1768, S. B. 1524, bill to prevent usury and extortion in the county of New Hanover, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Gilliam, H. B. 1354, S. B. 1577, bill to amend chapter 66, section 3856, Volume II of The Code, relative to standard goods, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Empie, H. B. 1628, S. B. 1592, bill to amend section 1005 of The Code, making carrying concealed weapons a felony, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 225, S. B. 665, bill to amend the law relative to seduction under promise of marriage, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Vann, H. B. 1413, S. B. 1391, bill concerning the drainage of land. The committee reports an amendment, and recommends the passage of the bill with amendment.

H. B. 1615, S. B. 1379, bill to incorporate camp-meetings in Dare County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Vann, S. B. 1071, bill to amend chapter 272, Public Laws of 1903, relative to land entries, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator Mason of Northampton, S. B. 711, bill to prevent the retail traffic of cigarettes and cigarette paper in North Carolina. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

Upon request, Senator Turner is permitted to withdraw the bill from the further consideration of the Senate.

By Senator Pearson, H. B. 1245, S. B. 1028, bill to prohibit the sale of cigarettes or cigarette tobacco in the town of Wingate, Union County, with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 595, bill to amend chapter 198, Laws of 1901, relative to the date of marriage of Confederate soldiers and their widows, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1776, S. B. 1405, bill to amend chapter 479, Laws of 1901, relative to the analysis of fertilizers, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Wright, H. B. 999, S. B. 1035, bill to provide for the production and registration of deeds by persons interested in lands conveyed thereunder, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 752, bill relative to bonds in criminal actions, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 417, S. B. 1557, bill to prevent public drunkenness, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 579, S. B. 532, bill to amend section 754 of The Code, relative to registers of deeds administering oaths, etc., with favorable recommendation.

S. B. 733, bill to define and prevent usurious contracts and transactions in the State of North Carolina, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 254, S. B. 1053, bill to facilitate the trial of civil and criminal actions, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 46, bill to amend chapter 29, Public Laws of 1899, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 197, bill to prescribe the causes for divorce from the bonds of matrimony, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 969, bill relative to liens of liverymen and others, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 289, bill to amend the divorce laws, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1846, S. B. 1596, bill to validate certain probates and registrations, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 1346, S. B. 1093, bill to protect game by taxing dogs, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Finance:

By Senator Long of Person, H. B. 1450, S. B. 1558, bill to amend section 4, chapter 122, Public Laws of 1903, for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Insurance:

By Senator Odell, H. B. 1027, S. B. 1100, bill to amend chapter 352, Private Laws of 1899, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Fish and Fisheries:

By Senator Ward, H. B. 1823, S. B. 1480, bill to prohibit hedging and fishing with traps in Bear Creek in Lenoir County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Arendell, H. B. 1707, S. B. 1500, bill relating to fishing in Pamlico County, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Jones, H. B. 922, S. B. 1570, bill to regulate fishing in the Cape Fear River, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Health:

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 1520, S. B. 1381, bill to amend section 2756 of The Code, relative to witness fees of doctors in Iredell County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

H. B. 1691, S. B. 1595, bill to incorporate the town of Yanceyville in Caswell County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Judicial Districts:

By Senator Bragaw, H. B. 568, S. B. 1471, bill to change the time for holding February and May terms of the Superior Court of Haywood County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1428, S. B. 1300, bill to amend chapter 28, Public

Laws of 1901, relative to holding courts in Alamance County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1366, S. B. 1228, bill for the relief of Thomas C. Robinson, Clerk of the Superior Court, Anson County, with favorable recommendation.

H. B. 1256, S. B. 1635, bill to divide the State into two circuits and to provide for rotation of the Judges of the Superior Court. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

H. B. 1244, S. B. 1506, bill relating to the assignment of judges to certain districts, by the Governor, in case of sickness or other unavoidable accident. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

S. B. 808, bill to amend section 913 of The Code, in reference to special terms of court and exchange of courts. The committee reports the bill without prejudice.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives returning H. B. 1940, S. B. 1548, bill to authorize the Dispensary Commissioners of Waynesville to employ an assistant to the manager, and informing the Senate that the bill has been amended by the House of Representatives. The bill is placed upon the Calendar for concurrence.

A message is received from the House of Representatives asking that a duly certified copy of S. B. 153, H. B. 1453, bill to provide fire-escapes and protect human life, be sent to the House for consideration, as the original bill has been lost.

A message is received from the House of Representatives, transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1556, S. B. 976, bill to amend chapter 4, Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 435, Public Laws of 1903, and other laws relating to the public school law, upon concur-

rence in amendment by the House of Representatives. The bill is placed upon the Calendar for concurrence.

H. B. 1970, S. B. 1658, bill supplemental to an act entitled "An act to correct Grant No. 143, to David Jones, in Beaufort County." Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 967, S. B. 1659, bill to authorize the Board of Agriculture to fix the salary of the Commissioner. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1326, S. B. 274, bill to amend chapter 677, Public Laws of 1901, to prevent fire waste, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives. The bill is placed upon the Calendar for concurrence.

H. B. 1278, S. B. 1661, bill to limit the poll tax and enforce its collection. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 1988, S. B. 1652, joint resolution of adjournment. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1981, S. B. 1537, bill to amend chapter 131, Private Laws of 1899, and the charter of the City and Suburban Electric Company of Charlotte, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1001, S. B. 1610, for protection of minor children whose fathers are dead and whose mothers are insane, and owning estates. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 733, S. B. 1611, to establish a geological and economic survey of the State of North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 733, S. B. 1624, to repeal section 2198 of The Code and chapter 417, Laws of 1891, and to abolish the geological survey as it now exists in North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 1821, S. B. 1612, to amend and supplement chapter 516 of the Public Laws of 1903, in relation to the oyster industry. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1764, S. B. 1613, to amend chapter 44, Acts of

1899, and to facilitate the restoration to the rights of citizenship in certain cases. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1461, S. B. 1614, to amend chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, relating to dispensaries in North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1286, S. B. 1615, to amend chapter 43 of The Code of North Carolina, relating to wills. Referred to Committee on Manufacturing.

H. B. 1954, S. B. 1616, to amend section 11, chapter 29, of the Public Laws of 1901. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1955, S. B. 1617, to establish a Board of Police, Fire and Health Commissioners for the city of Charlotte. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1952, S. B. 1618, to amend chapter 364 of the Public Laws of 1903, and to consolidate the public road law of Granville County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 706, S. B. 1619, to regulate the payment of county liabilities. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1015, S. B. 1620, to amend chapter 99, Public Laws 1903, relating to the sale of contingent remainders when none of the contingent remainders are in *esse*. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 1247, S. B. 1621, to amend section 2040 of The Code, by providing for the opening up of public roads after they have been laid out. Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

H. B. 1276, S. B. 1622, to protect public monuments. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 958, S. B. 1623, to amend chapter 159 of the Laws of 1903. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 1056, S. B. 1625, to provide fire protection for State property and to protect the inmates of State institutions, upon concurrence in House amendment. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1531, S. B. 1626, to incorporate the Hickory Rail-

way and Power Company, and for other purposes. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1965, S. B. 1627, to amend chapter 678 of the Public Laws of 1901, authorizing warehousemen to give bond. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1763, S. B. 1628, to repeal chapter 83 of Private Laws of 1899, relative to the corporate limits of Jonesboro in Moore County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1932, S. B. 609, to make the *fac-simile* signature used by James W. Price in his capacity as a notary public, his true and lawful signature for all intents and purposes, upon concurrence in House amendment. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1953, S. B. 1629, to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds to build a court-house." Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1948, S. B. 1630, to change the name of the town of Jerome, in Johnston County, to Micro. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1963, S. B. 1631, joint resolution in regard to the introduction of bills. Referred to Committee on Rules.

H. B. 1966, S. B. 1632, to prevent the illicit sale of spirituous liquors in Tyrrell County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1911, S. B. 1529, to provide for a dispensary for the town of Pikeville, Wayne County, upon concurrence in House amendment. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1852, S. B. 1349, to renovate and fix up the Senate Chamber and the House of Representatives. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1959, S. B. 1633, to increase the members of the Board of Education of Mecklenburg County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1967, S. B. 1634, in relation to public sales. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

H. B. 1971, S. B. 1648, to regulate the dealing of the State Treasurer with depositing banks. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1256, S. B. 1635, to divide the State into two circuits, and to provide for the rotation of Judges of the Superior Courts therein. Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

H. B. 1296, S. B. 1636, to regulate the fees of notaries public in protesting papers. Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1460, S. B. 1637, relating to purchase of liquors for dispensaries in North Carolina. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1672, S. B. 1638, to protect public buildings and highways. Referred to Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

H. B. 1815, S. B. 1639, to amend section 150 of The Code, Laws of 1889, chapter 355, relative to the sale and manufacture of liquors. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1962, S. B. 1640, to prevent the illegal manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors in the city and county of Durham. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1962, S. B. 1641, joint resolution of the General Assembly relative to the railroad fare of the messengers of the House. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1969, S. B. 1642, to amend an act passed at this session of the General Assembly, entitled "An act to define the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in certain counties of North Carolina." Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1972, S. B. 1650, to provide for the collection of taxes for Mecklenburg County. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1938, S. B. 1369, to amend an act of the General Assembly, ratified February 22, 1905, entitled "An act to prevent the destruction of small menhaden in the waters of the State of North Carolina," upon concurrence. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1976, S. B. 1649, to appoint justices of the peace for Black River Township, Cumberland County, N. C. Placed upon the Calendar.

Substitute for H. B. 1973, S. B. 1651, to make all county, city and town bonds liable to State taxes. Placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1384, S. B. 394, to amend chapter 275, Public Laws 1903, being an act revising the banking laws, for concurrence. Placed upon the Calendar.

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Webb, S. B. 1643, bill supplemental to an act ratified on the 2d day of March, 1905, amending the charter of the city of Asheville. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Long of Person, S. B. 1644, bill repealing exemptions from taxation heretofore granted to municipal bonds. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Thorne, S. R. 1645, resolution to invite investors and good practical farmers from the North, East and Western States to visit North Carolina and participate in a meeting to be held in Raleigh during the third week in October. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 1646, bill to authorize the city of Concord to sell at private sale its vacant lot on West Depot Street in said city. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Odell, S. B. 1647, bill to further amend an act entitled "An act to amend the charter of the town of Concord," ratified June 22, 1901, being chapter 9, Private Laws of North Carolina. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 1653, bill to promote the cause of education in Mecklenburg County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 1654, bill concerning sales by druggists of intoxicating liquors upon prescription, and for other purposes, in Mecklenburg County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 1655, bill to regulate certain official fees and salaries in Mecklenburg County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 1656, bill to amend the broad-tire law in Charlotte Township. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Bragaw, S. B. 1657, bill for the relief of T. H. Davis, an Oyster Inspector of Hyde County. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 1662, bill in regard to the distribution of the Revised Code among justices of the peace. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

By Senator Scales, S. B. 1663, bill to appoint boards of education for the various counties of the State. The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Williams, the vote by which H. B. 869, S. B. 1424, bill to authorize the county of Stanly to refund its bonded debt, passed its third reading is reconsidered, and the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

Senator Webb, for the conference committee to consider H. B. 956, S. B. 712, bill to prevent giving away intoxicating liquors on the day of election with intent to influence voters, or to sell intoxicating liquors on election day within five miles of a voting precinct, recommends that the second section of the bill be stricken out and that section three be numbered as section two, and that as amended said bill do pass.

The report of the committee is adopted and ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

President Winston introduces the following resolution:

*Resolved*, that we regret the illness which has detained Senators W. R. Everett, J. C. Ellington and R. H. Ricks

from their duties in the Senate, and which has deprived us and the State of North Carolina of their wisdom, judgment and experience, and that we express the hope that they will be speedily restored to health and their families, and to their fellow-citizens, to the end that the State may, for many years, have the great benefit of their faithful labors.

The resolution is adopted by a rising vote of all the Senators present.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and ordered sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 1298, S. B. 1305, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Bethesda Church in Moore County.

H. B. 1570, S. B. 1435, an act to protect trout and redbreast in Lumber River.

H. B. 1600, S. B. 1339, an act to incorporate the Jackson County Railway Company.

H. B. 1425, S. B. 1241, an act to prevent commercial business or driving stock upon the public highways upon the Sabbath day in Ashe County.

H. B. 1375, S. B. 1129, an act to protect game at Cape Hatteras, Dare County.

H. B. 1186, S. B. 1247, an act to incorporate the town of Locust in the county of Stanly.

H. B. 1170, S. B. 1264, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Jackson County to levy a special tax for the purpose of building a road in Canada Township in said county.

H. B. 1119, S. B. 1385, an act to protect fish in Sappony Creek in Nash County.

H. B. 960, S. B. 1262, an act to empower the Board of Commissioners of Robeson County to borrow money from the school fund of the county.

H. B. 856, S. B. 1217, an act to establish a stock law territory in Beaufort County.

H. B. 939, S. B. 1022, an act requiring Pender County to pay witnesses one-half their lawful fees in cases in which "No true bill" is found.

H. B. 1500, S. B. 1262, an act to regulate hunting in the county of Granville.

H. B. 742, S. B. 591, an act to regulate fees of County Commissioners of Currituck County.

H. B. 1099, S. B. 1266, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Greene County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 1630, S. B. 1473, an act to fix and regulate the time for holding the Superior Courts for the Fifth Judicial District.

H. B. 1834, S. B. 1345, an act to provide for the appointment of court stenographers for Franklin County.

H. B. 1412, S. B. 1113, an act to prohibit the killing of partridges or quail in Alexander County.

H. B. 1505, S. B. 1351, an act to prevent the smuggling of intoxicating liquors into the county of Rutherford.

H. B. 1377, S. B. 1525, an act amendatory of chapter 715, Public Laws of 1901, and of chapter 581, Public Laws of 1905, relating to fees of witnesses and officers in certain cases.

H. B. 1355, S. B. 1133, an act to increase the compensation of the Sheriff of Wayne County.

H. B. 1507, S. B. 1417, an act to define the corporate limits of the town of Boyett and to appoint officers for said town.

H. B. 1783, S. B. 1493, an act to provide for the election of Mayor of the town of Sanford by a popular vote of the people at the regular election of aldermen.

H. B. 1609, S. B. 1215, an act to repeal chapter 493, Public Laws of 1893.

H. B. 1358, S. B. 1310, an act to amend chapter 581, sections 23 and 27, Public Laws of 1899, and chapter 437, sec-

tion 20, Public Laws of 1903, and section 2017 of The Code, and for the working of public roads of Perquimans County.

H. B. 1625, S. B. 1363, an act to submit to the qualified voters of the city of Asheville the question of establishing a dispensary.

H. B. 1771, S. B. 1411, an act to repeal the act passed at this session incorporating the town of Haywood in Chatham County.

H. B. 1163, S. B. 1364, an act to protect fish in Stony Creek in Nash County.

H. B. 1540, S. B. 1316, an act to incorporate the town of Mineral Springs in Union County.

H. B. 969, S. B. 900, an act to prohibit hunting with steel traps in Chowan County.

H. B. 1488, S. B. 1117, an act to amend section 1847 of The Code, by permitting owners of public mills operated by gasoline, steam or any other motive power to charge a toll of one-seventh in Person County.

H. B. 1682, S. B. 1393, an act to amend the charter of the town of Lincolnton.

H. B. 1134, S. B. 1267, an act to empower the Board of County Commissioners of Watauga County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 971, S. B. 901, an act for the relief of M. H. Barnes, a public school teacher of Chatham County.

H. B. 1391, S. B. 1130, an act to reduce the commissions of the Sheriff of Rowan County for the collection of county taxes.

H. B. 1369, S. B. 1131, an act to construct a graded road in Ashe County.

H. B. 1460, S. B. 1232, an act to establish an additional school district in Hertford County.

H. B. 1136, S. B. 1495, an act supplemental to House Bill No. ...., being an act to establish a graded school in the town of Rhodhiss in Caldwell County.

H. B. 1455, S. B. 1147, an act for the relief of T. N. Chismond, a school-teacher in Caswell County.

H. B. 1015, S. B. 836, an act to amend chapter five hundred and fifty (550), Public Laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (1889), relating to the number of grades in the public schools of Raleigh Township.

H. B. 1726, S. B. 1330, an act to authorize the Trustees of Ashboro Male and Female Academy to sell or donate and convey a certain lot in the town of Ashboro, Randolph County.

H. B. 813, S. B. 304, an act to incorporate the J. M. Ray Camp of United Confederate Veterans, Company K, Eleventh North Carolina Volunteers, and Company F, North Carolina Volunteers.

H. B. 1407, S. B. 1244, an act to amend the law of weights and measures, by striking out the provision of section three thousand eight hundred and forty-one of The Code, making it compulsory for weights and measures to be tried by standard every two years.

H. B. 1539, S. B. 1110, an act to incorporate the Sandy Ridge Public School District, No. 10, white race, in Buford Township, Union County.

H. B. 1546, S. B. 1328, an act to facilitate the collection of taxes in the county of Haywood.

H. B. 1198, S. B. 1103, an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Franklinton, North Carolina.

H. B. 1617, S. B. 1340, an act to protect certain birds in Gaston County.

H. B. 1487, S. B. 1233, an act to amend section 4 of chapter 435 of the Laws of 1903, as brought forward in Revised Statutes, chapter 92, section 4026, empowering the county boards of education to fix the time of opening and closing the public schools.

H. B. 1233, S. B. 1039, an act to incorporate the Raleigh and Southport Railway Company.

H. B. 1553, S. B. 765, an act to incorporate the Waynesville Railway and Power Company.

H. B. 1441, S. B. 894, an act to establish within the city of Asheville a special court to be called the police court, and to prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.

H. B. 1603, S. B. 1500, an act to amend and supplemental to chapter 483 of the Public Laws of 1903, and the acts amendatory thereof, entitled "An act to amend chapter 486 of the Public Laws of 1889, and the acts amendatory thereof, entitled 'An act in relation to the public schools in the town of Pilot Mountain, North Carolina, and providing for the levying of a tax to support the same.' "

H. B. 1563, S. B. 1312, an act to create a high school district in Hertford County.

H. B. 1870, S. B. 1445, an act to fix salaries for the officers of Buncombe County, and to increase the road fund, and to create the office of Auditor of Buncombe County.

H. B. 863, S. B. 913, an act to amend joint resolution ratified February 3, 1875, relative to school property in Murphy, Cherokee County, to be found on page 392, Laws of 1875, and for other purposes.

H. B. 1635, S. B. 1360, an act to regulate the use of traction engines on the macadamized roads of Durham County.

H. B. 1719, S. B. 1322, an act to incorporate the Bowman Academy of Bakersville, Mitchell County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1530, S. B. 1152, an act to incorporate Lenoir College, situated at Hickory, Catawba County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1026, S. B. 824, an act to provide for the establishment and enlargement of libraries in the public schools of the rural districts.

H. B. 891, S. B. 1389, an act to promote the production and publication of school books relating to the history, literature or government of North Carolina, for use in the public schools.

H. B. 1051, S. B. 1095, an act empowering the city of Wilmington to remove unsafe buildings.

H. B. 1494, S. B. 1111, an act to regulate the apportionment of the school funds for the public graded schools of the city of Charlotte, Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 1365, S. B. 1227, an act for the protection of fish in Lanes Creek in Anson County.

H. B. 834, S. B. 1308, an act to extend the corporate limits of the city of Asheville.

H. B. 1820, S. B. 1481, an act to authorize the Treasurer of the Board of Education of Hyde County to pay Annie Bridgman, teacher in White School District, No. 1, the sum of $7.68.

H. B. 1626, S. B. 1137, an act to prevent hunting in Back Creek Township, Randolph County, without written permission.

H. B. 1864, S. B. 1358, an act to create a public works commission for the city of Fayetteville.

H. B. 1351, S. B. 1377, an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Hyde County.

H. B. 1732, S. B. 866, an act to empower the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to issue bonds for road improvement.

H. B. 1698, S. B. 1307, an act for the relief of Miss Mary Hugh Stewart.

H. B. 1780, S. B. 1392, an act to amend chapter 443, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the public roads in Davidson County.

H. B. 1541, S. B. 1404, an act to regulate attendance upon public schools in Yadkin County.

H. B. 1287, S. B. 978, an act for the protection of game in Macon County.

H. B. 1728, S. B. 1314, an act to amend H. B. 297, S. B. 552, entitled "An act to protect landlords and tenants," ratified February 24, 1905.

H. B. 1685, S. B. 1601, an act to amend chapter 36, Private Laws of 1876, and to extend the charter of the Oxford Colored Educational Association.

H. B. 1624, S. B. 1212, an act to regulate the pay of the Commissioners of Nash County.

H. B. 1489, S. B. 1235, an act to tax dogs on Roanoke Island, Dare County.

H. B. 1826, S. B. 1513, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Anson and Union Counties to have the line between said counties surveyed and established.

H. B. 1723, S. B. 1337, an act to provide a suitable compensation for the Sheriff of Halifax County.

H. B. 1809, S. B. 1474, an act to amend the charter of the city of Munroe, North Carolina, to authorize the aldermen to establish fire limits.

H. B. 1643, S. B. 1050, an act for the betterment of the public roads of Pitt County.

H. B. 1755, S. B. 1399, an act to repeal chapter 189 of Public Laws of North Carolina of 1899, establishing a dispensary in the town of Jackson, Northampton County, North Carolina, but leaving the matter to a vote of the people of Jackson Town and Township.

H. B. 1860, S. B. 1370, an act amending chapter 375, Public Laws 1905, relative to public roads in Waynesville Township, Haywood County.

H. B. 1219, S. B. 1192, an act in regard to the stock law in a portion of Faison Township, Duplin County.

H. B. 1883, S. B. 1351, an act to amend chapter 280, Public Laws of 1889, and chapter 410, Private Laws of 1901, in relation to the charter of the Enterprise Lumber Company, and authorizing the said company to construct a railroad.

H. B. 1597, S. B. 1190, an act to modify an act entitled "To prohibit the killing of quail or partridges in Swain County," passed at this session of the Legislature.

H. B. 916, S. B. 907, an act to prohibit the sale of all in-

toxicating liquors near Goldston High School in Chatham County.

H. B. 992, S. B. 837, an act authorizing the Board of Education of Buncombe County to pay certain debts contracted by its predecessor.

H. B. 1294, S. B. 1121, an act amending chapter 407 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the Pelham Graded School.

H. B. 1653, S. B. 1009, an act to protect game in Carteret County.

H. B. 1544, S. B. 1271, an act to amend section 1053 of The Code for the better protection of Deer in North Carolina.

H. B. 1472, S. B. 1145, an act to amend chapter 54 of the Private Laws of 1889, concerning the town of Jason in Greene County.

H. B. 1498, S. B. 1274, an act to regulate hunting and fishing in Lanesboro Township in Anson County.

H. B. 1180, S. B. 1023, an act to amend the stock law of Jackson County.

H. B. 1353, S. B. 1275, an act to prohibit hogs running at large between Nags Head Life Saving Station and New Inlet in Dare County.

H. B. 1343, S. B. 1334, an act to prohibit fishing with nets and seines in Tyson's Marsh Mill Run, Greene County.

H. B. 1619, S. B. 1210, an act concerning fowls running at large in Chatham County.

H. B. 1342, S. B. 1383, an act to repeal chapter 108, Public Laws of 1874 and 1875, and acts amendatory thereof.

H. B. 1619, S. B. 1297, an act concerning the drainage of land on Indian Creek from Shull's bridge to Crouse's bridge.

H. B. 310, S. B. 1258, an act requiring section-masters of railroads of Pender County to report killing of stock.

H. B. 1844, S. B. 1523, an act to authorize the Board of Education of Cleveland County to borrow money.

H. B. 1411, S. B. 1114, an act concerning stock law in parts of Chatham and Moore Counties.

H. B. 993, S. B. 849, an act to incorporate the Faison Male Academy of Faison, Duplin County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1204, S. B. 637, an act to amend chapter 498, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the anti-jug law of Pender County.

H. B. 1656, S. B. 1074, an act to repeal chapter 25 of the Public Laws of 1903, to amend chapter 28 of the Public Laws of 1901, providing for the holding of courts for the Eighth Judicial District.

H. B. 1684, S. B. 1253, an act to amend chapter 95, Laws 1901, establishing a graded school in the town of East Bend, Yadkin County.

H. B. 1634, S. B. 1304, an act to prohibit the retailing of spirituous liquors within one mile of Walnut Grove Church in Moravian Falls Township, Wilkes County.

H. B. 1676, S. B. 1327, an act to amend section 2, chapter 582, Public Laws of 1903, so as to take Neill L. McFayden out of the Cross Creek stock law territory in Cumberland County.

H. B. 1434, S. B. 1173, an act to incorporate the Kinston and Cape Fear Railroad Company.

H. B. 194, S. B. 570, an act defining vagrancy, and providing punishment therefor.

H. B. 1777, S. B. 1491, an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Dunn in Harnett County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1631, S. B. 1496, an act for the relief of P. A. Fore and the Alma Lumber Company.

H. B. 979, S. B. 852, an act for the relief of Mrs. Lizzie Cash Williford, a public school teacher in District No. 4 for whites, Tally Ho Township, Granville County.

H. B. 959, S. B. 924, an act for the relief of Roena Moore, a school-teacher of Durham County.

H. B. 1172, S. B. 977, an act to amend chapter 481, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the stock law in Faison and Wolfscrape Townships in Duplin County.

H. B. 709, S. B. 921, an act for the relief of Alexander Baker, former Superintendent of Public Schools in Granville County.

H. B. 1419, S. B. 1243, an act for the relief of S. E. Hogshed, a school-teacher in Clay County.

H. B. 1790, S. B. 1489, an act requiring stock law fence commissioners to provide hitching-posts at stock law gates on public roads, for the convenience and protection of the public.

H. B. 1736, S. B. 1013, an act to amend chapter 378 of the Private Laws of 1901, as amended by chapter 406 of the Private Laws of 1903.

H. B. 1164, S. B. 1130, an act to amend Code section 1278 of The Code of North Carolina in regard to the fees of register of deeds.

H. B. 1700, S. B. 1412, an act to amend the public road law of Halifax County.

H. B. 1612, S. B. 1211, an act to make a certain glade in Pamlico County a lawful fence.

H. B. 1547, S. B. 1239, an act for the relief of Miss Mamie Little, a public school teacher.

H. B. 1733, S. B. 1084, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for the purpose of building a court-house.

H. B. 1277, S. B. 1398, an act to prohibit the manufacture and illegal sale of liquors in Union County and to submit to the voters to decide by electing whether they will have prohibition, dispensaries or bar-rooms.

H. B. 881, S. B. 1457, an act to amend the charter of Mars Hill College, passed at the session of 1858 and 1859, amended at the session of 1860 and 1861, and again in 1893.

H. B. 1829, S. B. 1460, an act to amend chapter 155 of the Private Laws of 1901, and to prohibit public drunkenness at Spray in Rockingham County.

H. B. 1694, S. B. 1535, an act to repeal chapter 144 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to fishing in Porters Swamp, Columbus County.

H. B. 1522, S. B. 1236, an act to amend chapter 542, Laws of 1903, to prohibit the hunting of squirrels and opossums in the county of Greene between the first day of February and the first day of October in each year.

H. B. 1356, S. B. 1225, an act to amend chapter 529, section 2, Public Laws of 1897.

H. B. 1275, S. B. 1054, an act to allow an election on special school tax in Special Tax District No. 4 in Unity Township, Rowan County.

H. B. 1005, S. B. 1052, an act to amend chapter 15, Private Laws of 1895, relating to the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Association of North Carolina.

H. B. 1490, S. B. 1170, an act protecting people from bear traps and bear guns in Pasquotank, Camden and Gates.

H. B. 318, S. B. 350, an act to protect the trapping interests in Dare County.

H. B. 1673, S. B. 1454, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Onslow and Pender Counties to have the line between said counties surveyed and established.

H. B. 1716, S. B. 1435, an act to change the time of meeting of the Board of Road Supervisors in Stokes County.

H. B. 171, S. B. 1472, an act to regulate the terms of the Superior Court of Montgomery County.

H. B. 1825, S. B. 1512, an act to increase the number of Commissioners of Columbus County.

H. B. 1809, S. B. 1492, an act to appoint E. S. Simmons a justice of the peace in the county of Beaufort.

H. B. 1623, S. B. 1505, an act for the relief of J. A. Shepherd, a school-teacher of Ashe County.

H. B. 1836, S. B. 1380, an act to protect deer in certain portions of Bladen County.

H. B. 1863, S. B. 1046, an act to prohibit the manufacture

and sale of liquor within one mile of the Methodist Church, near Palmyra, in Halifax County.

H. B. 1734, S. B. 1088, an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the town of Greenville in Pitt County to borrow money, not to exceed ten thousand dollars, for the purpose of establishing a sewerage system for said town.

H. B. 1875, S. B. 1447, an act to change the time for holding the terms of certain courts of the Ninth District.

H. B. 1865, S. B. 1353, an act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County to donate and convey certain real property to the Wilmington Division, North Carolina Naval Brigade.

H. B. 1363, S. B. 1365, an act to amend chapter 365, Private Laws of 1901, changing the corporate limits of the town of Macclesfield in Edgecombe County.

H. B. 1131, S. B. 930, an act to make a portion of Pamlico County a stock law territory.

H. B. 1345, S. B. 1223, an act to provide good roads in Franklinton Township, Franklin County.

H. B. 1254, S. B. 1382, an act for the protection of the mullet-fishing interest in Brunswick County.

H. B. 1830, S. B. 1488, an act to amend the charter of the Bank of Cape Fear.

H. B. 1525, S. B. 1309, an act to amend the charter of the town of Lumberton, and to provide for an increase of its bonded debt.

H. B. 1339, S. B. 1532, an act to place the printing of the Supreme Court reports under the control of the court.

H. B. 1048, S. B. 1218, an act empowering the city of Wilmington to pave and improve the streets and sidewalks in said city:

H. B. 1810, S. B. 1475, an act to incorporate Avery McDowell Camp of Confederate Veterans of Burke County.

H. B. 1786, S. B. 1459, an act permitting Commissioners of Jones County to levy special tax to construct an iron draw or bridge across Trent River at Pollocksville.

H. B. 1621, S. B. 1456, an act to abolish the office of Standard-keeper in Yancey County.

H. B. 1436, S. B. 1245, an act to amend section 1865 of The Code in reference to the hunting season of wild turkeys in Clay, Randolph and Rowan Counties.

H. B. 1236, S. B. 1204, an act to establish graded schools in the town of Hertford, and to issue bonds.

H. B. 1477, S. B. 1535, an act to amend chapter 264, Public Laws 1897, relating to Crop Pest Commission.

H. B. 1704, S. B. 1536, an act to permit the Wadesboro Township chain-gang and road force to work on the depot road in the town of Wadesboro.

H. B. 1584, S. B. 991, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Buncombe County to issue bonds for the purpose of securing a suitable site and erecting thereon a suitable building for the care of the poor, aged and infirm.

H. B. 1197, S. B. 982, an act to protect foxes in Rockingham County.

H. B. 1305, S. B. 1120, an act to amend section 1 of chapter 518 of the Public Laws of 1901.

H. B. 1720, S. B. 1332, an act to prevent dangerous dogs from running at large.

H. B. 1371, S. B. 1229, an act to amend chapter 549, Public Laws of 1899, relating to manufacture and sale of liquor.

H. B. 1428, S. B. 1116, an act for the protection of deer in Yancey County.

H. B. 724, S. B. 434, an act to require the re-running and re-marking of a portion of the boundary line between this State and the State of South Carolina.

H. B. 1474, S. B. 1270, an act to amend chapter 260 of the Public Laws of 1895.

H. B. 1773, S. B. 1401, an act to amend the charter of the town of Ashboro.

H. B. 1257, S. B. 1256, an act to prevent the selling of

liquor within three miles of Falcon Camp-meeting Ground in Cumberland County.

H. B. 1737, S. B. 1073, an act to amend the charter of the city of Kinston.

H. B. 1793, S. B. 131, an act to amend sections 4 and 10 of chapter 273 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of the session of 1903, entitled an act for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows, so as to authorize the county board of pensions to place upon the pension roll, in the classes to which they would otherwise belong, certain disabled Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows, now disqualified under the provisions of said act.

H. B. 1879, S. B. 1439, an act to protect game in New Hanover County.

H. B. 1859, S. B. 1278, an act to incorporate the Asheville Brokerage and Investment Company.

H. B. 1880, S. B. 1441, an act to protect game in Brunswick County.

H. B. 1649, S. B. 889, an act to amend chapter 536 of the Public Laws of 1903, regulating life insurance companies.

H. B. 1850, S. B. 1048, an act to amend chapter 444 of the Laws of 1889, as amended by chapter 106, Laws of 1891, so as to make the evidence of a promise or agreement to work, the obtaining of advances thereon and the failure to comply with such promise or agreement, presumptive evidence of the intent to cheat and defraud.

H. B. 285, S. B. 57, an act in regard to judgments.

H. B. 1591, S. B. 737, an act to amend chapter 235, Public Laws of 1895, section 7, so as to allow the acknowledgment of instruments to which the clerk of the superior court is a party, to be made before a justice of the peace.

H. B. 1738, S. B. 365, an act to establish a State Laboratory of Hygiene.

H. B. 1857, S. B. 1344, an act supplemental to an act entitled "An act to change the time for holding court in the

several counties in the Fourteenth Judicial District," ratified February 27, 1905.

H. B. 1674, S. B. 1375, an act to protect fish in Black River, South River, Little Coharie and Big Coharie Rivers, and their tributaries, in the counties of Sampson, Pender and Bladen.

H. B. 668, S. B. 897, an act to amend section 1006 of The Code.

H. B. 1368, S. B. 1132, an act to provide for the working of the public roads in Chowan County.

H. B. 1890, S. B. 1531, an act supplemental to an act entitled "An act providing for additional terms of the Superior Court of Rockingham County."

H. B. 1687, S. B. 1005, an act to assess the lands of Beaver Dam, Flat Swamp and Gum Log Swamp, in Flea Hill Township, Cumberland County, and for constructing canals for the drainage of said lands.

H. B. 896, S. B. 494, an act to repeal chapter 56, Laws of 1903, relative to the stock law in Federal Point Township, New Hanover County.

H. B. 1872, S. B. 992, an act to prevent the overflow of White Oak Swamp, in Bladen County, by the waters of the Cape Fear River.

H. B. 1869, S. B. 1281, an act to correct an error in an act entitled "An act to provide for working the public roads of Rutherford County," ratified February 15, 1905.

H. B. 1794, S. B. 1075, an act to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the holding of courts in Buncombe County.

H. B. 1838, S. B. 1352, an act to amend the charter of the Methodist Orphanage.

H. B. 1903, S. B. 1443, an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Roxboro, Person County.

H. B. 1449, S. B. 742, an act to establish Ruffin Graded School District in Rockingham County.

H. R. 987, S. R. 1435, a resolution to request our Senators

and Representatives in Congress to use their united influence to secure the passage of a law that will permit farmers and growers of tobacco to manufacture and sell the same in any quantity or form free from any tax or charge.

H. B. 1433, S. B. 1567, an act to incorporate the Nantahala Railroad, Flume and Transportation Company.

H. B. 1721, S. B. 1497, an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Falkland.

H. B. 1640, S. B. 1407, an act to amend chapter 137, Private Laws 1887, and repealing chapter 300, Private Laws 1901, in regard to charter of the town of Kernersville, Forsyth County.

H. B. 1797, S. B. 553, an act to amend chapter 548, Public Laws of 1903, increasing the salary of Brigadier-Generals.

H. B. 763, S. B. 1430, an act to amend chapter 443 of Public Laws of 1903, relative to special road tax of Lexington Township, Davidson County.

H. B. 1468, S. B. 1177, an act to establish a graded school at Copeland in Surry County.

H. B. 1604, S. B. 1428, an act to amend the charter of the city of Goldsboro.

H. B. 1787, S. B. 1569, an act to appoint additional trustees for Selma Graded Schools, and other purposes.

H. B. 1845, S. B. 1574, an act to amend the charter of the town of Peachland.

H. B. 1881, S. B. 1571, an act in relation to court stenographers of Buncombe County.

H. B. 1614, S. B. 1186, an act to correct State Grant No. 2496, in Macon County.

H. B. 1613, S. B. 1402, an act to amend the charter of Aurora in Beaufort County, chapter 5 of the Private Laws of 1880.

H. B. 1891, S. B. 1560, an act authorizing the appointment of a Cotton-weigher for the town of Wilson.

H. B. 1762, S. B. 1479, an act to allow the Perpetual In-

surance Company and the Protection Insurance Company further time to begin business.

H. B. 1475, S. B. 1593, an act to repeal chapter 558, Public Laws 1891, relating to Bureau of Immigration.

H. B. 1769, S. B. 1425, an act to amend chapter 50 of the Public Laws of 1901, entitled "An act relating to highways, public roads, bridges, ferrys and fords," and applicable only to Mecklenburg County and Charlotte Township.

H. B. 1813, S. B. 1598, an act to re-enact chapter 488, section 4, of 1899, in relation to election of Commissioners of Montgomery County only.

H. B. 1605, S. B. 1432, an act to incorporate the town of Maupin in the county of Pitt.

H. B. 1892, S. B. 1594, an act fixing the time for holding the Superior Courts of Wilson County.

H. B. 1960, S. B. 1154, an act to amend fire insurance companies from limiting commissions of the agents of other companies.

H. B. 1402, S. B. 1219, an act to authorize the Suffolk and Carolina Railroad Company to construct one or more lines of railroad in the counties of Tyrrell and Hyde, or either of them, and to authorize the said counties of Tyrrell and Hyde, and each of them, to subscribe to the capital stock of said Suffolk and Carolina Railway Company and to issue bonds and levy taxes to pay for the said subscriptions.

H. B. 976, S. B. 622, an act to incorporate the Belhaven Graded School District.

H. B. 1429, S. B. 1174, an act to establish a board of permanent improvement, and to enable the town of Elizabeth City to issne bonds.

H. B. 1389, S. B. 1137, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Haywood County to levy a special tax to pay off special and specific indebtedness, and for the purpose of building a bridge and constructing and working the public roads of Haywood County.

H. B. 1853, S. B. 1069, an act to amend chapter 186 of Laws of 1901, conferring power to foreclose mortgage upon an executor or administrator.

H. B. 1898, S. B. 1579, an act to supplement H. B. 1789, S. B. 1429, relative to time for holding courts in Greene and Craven Counties.

H. B. 1641, S. B. 1400, an act to establish a graded school in Lake Landing Township in Hyde County.

H. B. 1344, S. B. 1195, an act to establish graded school in the town of Franklinton.

H. B. 1137, S. B. 1366, an act to establish the Blair's Fork and Yadkin Valley Turnpike.

H. B. 1160, S. B. 1199, an act creating a school district in Providence Township, Randolph County.

H. B. 788, S. B. 1463, an act to validate the probate of certain deeds and conveyances.

H. B. 365, S. B. 1320, an act to facilitate and cheapen the trial of actions involving the title to or interest in real estate.

H. B. 1408, S. B. 1172, an act to establish the Lucama Graded School.

H. B. 516, S. B. 1436, an act to provide for assessment of real estate of railroad companies in stock law territory for local benefit.

H. B. 580, S. B. 490, an act to provide for allotting homesteads in lands held in common.

H. B. 1157, S. B. 705, an act to provide for the examination of the books of the Insurance Commissioner.

H. B. 1572, S. B. 658, an act to consolidate and revise the charter of the city of Winston.

H. B. 1451, S. B. 895, an act to amend chapter 558 of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to the sale of land for taxes.

H. B. 1311, S. B. 1123, an act to amend chapter 23, Laws 1879, entitled "An act to allow Leaksville Township in Rockingham County to subscribe to the capital stock of a railroad."

H. B. 1524, S. B. 1214, an act amending chapter 268, Private Laws of 1903, relative to the town of Pactolus.

H. B. 1536, S. B. 1218, an act authorizing the Board of Trustees of Sanford Graded School District to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting and equipping a graded school building.

H. B. 1705, S. B. 1325, an act to amend chapter 349, Public Laws 1903, known as the anti-jug law for Mitchell, Gaston, Cleveland and Cabarrus Counties.

H. B. 1457, S. B. 1427, an act to establish a graded school in the town of Kernersville, Forsyth County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1933, S. B. 1449, an act to empower a succeeding guardian to collect or foreclose a mortgage executed by a former guardian.

H. B. 1100, S. B. 675, an act to amend the general election law.

H. B. 1931, S. B. 1160, an act to incorporate "Holman Christian University."

H. B. 1620, S. B. 1565, an act to incorporate the town of Garner in the county of Wake.

H. B. 1517, S. B. 1222, an act to create a charter for Elizabeth City, North Carolina.

H. B. 1658, S. B. 196, an act concerning building and loan associations.

H. B. 1529, S. B. 1397, an act for the establishment, control and maintenance of graded schools in the town of North Wilkesboro.

H. B. 1888, S. B. 1549, an act to regulate the fees of county officers.

H. B. 1897, S. B. 1566, an act to amend chapter 604, Public Laws 1901, in regard to killing deer before the dogs, so as to make it apply to Granville County.

H. B. 1904, S. B. 1572, an act relating to the publication of legal notices in Buncombe County.

H. B. 1543, S. B. 1555, an act to extend the time of organization of Winston-Salem Trust and Deposit Company.

H. B. 1917, S. B. 1469, an act to prevent floating sawdust in certain streams of Forsyth County.

H. B. 1822, S. B. 1476, an act to prohibit owners of sawmills from allowing sawdust from running into streams stocked with mountain trout, or streams which are now or may hereafter be stocked by the government with any fish whatever, in Mitchell County.

H. B. 1618, S. B. 1410, an act to improve the public roads in No. 4 Township in Cleveland County.

H. B. 1910, S. B. 1527, an act to prevent hunting in certain portions of Randolph County unless written permission is given.

H. B. 1775, S. B. 1400, an act to protect the public macadam roads or highways of Durham County.

H. B. 1534, S. B. 1423, an act to empower the Board of County Commissioners of McDowell County to compromise, commute and settle the debt of McDowell County.

H. B. 1834, S. B. 1554, an act to amend chapter 260, Public Laws of 1903, being an act entitled "An act to authorize the Council of State to sell the steamer Lillie."

H. B. 1812, S. B. 1509, an act to repeal chapter 159, Public Laws of 1901, being entitled "An act to exempt D. V. Davis of Davie County from license tax."

H. B. 1601, S. B. 1409, an act to correct the State Grant No. 126, to Nathan Hyatt, in originally Haywood, but now Jackson County.

H. B. 1946, S. B. 1597, an act to define the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 200, S. B. 696, an act to pay Mrs. Mary S. Gillett $40.52 due from direct land tax refunded to State by the Federal Government by virtue of chapter 404 of the Public Laws of 1895.

H. B. 1831, S. B. 1520, an act to incorporate the town of Coats.

H. B. 1886, S. B. 1573, an act to amend chapter 229, Private Laws of 1889, entitled "An act to incorporate the Methodist Orphanage."

H. B. 1288, S. B. 1343, an act to incorporate "The Citizens Bank and Trust Company of Southern Pines."

H. B. 1479, S. B. 1202, an act to incorporate School District No. 5 for whites, in which is situate the town of Ahoskie in Hertford County.

H. B. 990, S. B. 1559, an act to secure better drainage of water of Lick Creek in Forsyth and Stokes Counties.

H. B. 1042, S. B. 341, an act to amend chapter 710, Public Laws 1901 (as amended), entitled "An act to regulate insurance upon public buildings and other State property."

H. B. 1493, S. B. 1181, an act to establish a new school district in Johnston and Harnett Counties.

H. B. 1462, S. B. 1240, an act to amend chapter 554, Laws of 1901, to read Gum Swamp Church in Swift Creek Township, Pitt County, instead of Green Swamp Church.

H. B. 1446, S. B. 887, an act to allow the County Commissioners of Bladen County to sell the county farm.

H. B. 1968, S. B. 1585, an act to promote the cause of education in Rutherford, Iredell and Cleveland Counties.

H. B. 1847, S. B. 479, an act to authorize executors and administrators to provide grave-stones for deceased persons.

H. B. 826, S. B. 61, an act for the prevention of fraudulent trading.

H. B. 1817, S. B. 1599, an act to pay Sallie Caldwell, a school-teacher of Stanly County, the remainder of salary for the school term 1904.

H. B. 1225, S. B. 1251, an act to allow the Board of Commissioners of Montgomery County to pay for making court dockets for judge and bar.

H. B. 1478, S. B. 1205, an act to incorporate the town of Cornelius.

H. B. 1821, S. B. 1277, an act in regard to cleaning out Haw River in Rockingham County.

H. B. 1181, S. B. 1026, an act making it unlawful to lay any poison on any land not enclosed by a lawful fence in Jackson and Buncombe Counties.

H. B. 1894, S. B. 1581, an act supplemental to an act entitled "An act to protect landlords and tenants." H. B. 297, S. B. 552, for certain counties, passed at session of 1905.

H. B. 1456, S. B. 1426, an act to amend chapter 247, Private Laws 1889, allowing Kernersville, Forsyth County, to issue bonds.

H. B. 852, S. B. 1576, an act to amend the charter of the Cullowhee High School, and to transfer the property now owned by said school to the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 1495, S. B. 1438, an act to incorporate the town of Roaring River.

H. B. 1423, S. B. 1461, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors in certain localities.

H. B. 773, S. B. 920, an act to increase the powers and duties of the Governor by amending section 3320 of The Code.

H. B. 1424, S. B. 1125, an act to correct certain irregularities in and to validate State Grant No. 3083, for certain lands in Macon County.

H. B. 1878, S. B. 1440, an act to re-establish self-government in New Hanover County.

H. B. 1594, S. B. 1420, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Wake County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of making and improving, etc., the public roads of said county.

H. R. 1887, S. R. 1584, resolution in favor of Mrs. C. W. Phipps, widow of Dr. C. W. Phipps, late member of the House of Representatives from Watauga County.

H. B. 190, S. B. 19, an act to amend section 649 of The Code of North Carolina, to provide for appeals in contempt cases.

S. B. 1722, H. B. 1522, an act to amend section 3 of chapter 276, Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 1422, S. B. 1124, an act to protect sheep in Haywood County.

S. B. 1171, H. B. 1802, an act to amend the charter of the city of Greensboro.

H. B. 1610, S. B. 1189, an act to legalize primary elections in New Hanover County.

H. B. 761, S. B. 1507, an act to amend section 550 of The Code, in reference to the time for serving papers on appeals to the Supreme Court.

H. B. 1930, S. B. 1448, an act to empower the Commissioners of Cumberland County to regulate the execution of criminals.

H. B. 1745, S. B. 701, an act to amend section 5, chapter 235 of the Laws of 1899, and to validate certain instruments acknowledged before vice-consuls and vice-consuls general.

H. B. 1912, S. B. 1539, an act to allow the city of Greensboro to use certain moneys for improvements of its streets.

H. B. 1670, S. B. 1336, an act to change the time of holding courts in Craven County.

H. B. 1538, S. B. 1315, an act to enlarge a certain stock law territory in Columbus County, and prevent live stock from running at large therein.

H. B. 1836, S. B. 1583, an act to limit the duties of the Board of Commissioners of Greene County in regard to stock law.

H. B. 1232, S. B. 1376, an act to amend chapter 131, Private Laws of 1903, and to regulate the granting of license to retail spirituous liquors in Wilson County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1675, S. B. 1372, an act to amend the act providing for the Superior Courts of Cumberland County.

H. B. 1861, S. B. 1360, an act to change the time of holding the courts in Stanly County.

H. B. 1482, S. B. 1334, an act to lay off and construct a public road from North Wilkesboro, North Carolina, to Boone, North Carolina.

H. B. 1609, S. B. 1418, an act to authorize the Board of

Commissioners of Beaufort County, North Carolina, to pay its existing indebtedness.

H. B. 1481, S. B. 1311, an act to incorporate the "Appalachian Electric Power and Transit Company."

H. B. 1378, S. B. 1224, an act to amend chapter 349, Public Laws 1903, known as the anti-jug law for Mitchell, Gaston, Cleveland and Cabarrus Counties, making the carrier or deliverer the agent of the vendor.

H. B. 1792, S. B. 1166, an act to authorize the city of Statesville to call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for the graded school and other purposes.

H. B. 1214, S. B. 1545, an act to amend the charter of The Bank of Fayetteville and the several acts amendatory, and to provide for its re-organization.

H. B. 1665, S. B. 1008, an act to amend chapter 125 of the Public Laws of 1903, known as the prohibition law of Cumberland County.

H. B. 1620, S. B. 1594, an act to establish a graded school in Walkertown and vicinity in Forsyth County.

H. B. 1123, S. B. 1198, an act to amend chapter 116 of the Private Laws of 1903, incorporating Caldwell Institute Graded School in Orange County.

H. B. 1816, S. B. 1510, an act to provide for the payment of costs in the superior court.

H. B. 1837, S. B. 1030, an act to incorporate the Mecklenburg Power and Traction Company.

H. B. 1906, S. B. 1588, an act to incorporate The Guaranty, Trust and Security Company.

H. R. 1935, S. R. 1546, resolution relating to the matter of an inland waterway and requesting the Senators and Representatives in the National Congress from North Carolina to use their best efforts towards its construction.

H. R. 1942, S. R. 1526, resolution inviting the National Editorial Association to hold its annual convention of 1906 in North Carolina.

H. R. 250, S. R. 1680, resolution to reimburse W. M.

Webb, Shell-fish Commissioner, the sum of $80.00 to cover interest due on loan obtained by him to protect oyster industry.

H. R. 1396, S. R. 486, joint resolution to memorialize the United States Senate to prohibit interstate commerce in adulterated foods, etc.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

Upon motion of Senator Vann, S. B. 1242, H. B. 1415, bill to tax peddlers of medicines, is taken from the table and placed upon the Calendar.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1940, S. B. 1548, bill to authorize the Dispensary Commissioners of Waynesville dispensary to employ an assistant to the manager, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Stringfield, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1955, S. B. 1617, bill to establish a Fire and Police Commission for Fayetteville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1952, S. B. 1618, bill to amend chapter 364, Public Laws of 1903, concerning the public road law of Granville County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 706, S. B. 1619, bill to regulate the payment of county liabilities, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1276, S. B. 1622, bill to protect public monuments, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1056, S. B. 1625, bill to provide for the protection

of State property and the inmates of State institutions, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 609, S. B. 1932, bill to make the *fac-simile* signature used by James W. Price, in his capacity as notary public, his good and lawful signature for all purposes, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1852, S. B. 1349, bill to renovate and fix up the Senate Chamber and Hall of the House of Representatives, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1911, S. B. 1529, bill to provide a dispensary for the town of Pikeville in Wayne County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1531, S. B. 1626, bill to incorporate the Hickory Railroad and Power Company, and for other purposes, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1763, S. B. 1628, bill to repeal chapter 83, Public Laws of 1899, relative to the corporate limits of the town of Jonesboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1953, S. B. 1629, bill to amend an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds to build court-house, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1948, S. B. 1630, bill to change the name of the town of Jerome, in Johnston County, to Micro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1959, S. B. 1633, bill to increase the number of members of the Board of Education of Mecklenburg County, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Duls, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1954, S. B. 1616, bill to amend section 11, chapter 29, Public Laws of 1901, changing the time for holding courts in Watauga County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1643, bill supplementary to an act ratified March 2, 1905, amending the charter of the city of Asheville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1644, bill to repeal all exemptions from taxation heretofore granted to municipal bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

H. B. 1681, S. B. 1498, bill to include Washington County in H. B. 279, S. B. 552, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1598, S. B. 1477, bill to amend Laws of 1887, chapter 199, making it apply to peanuts as well as seed cotton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1706, S. B. 1499, bill to repeal chapter 156, Public Laws of 1899, regulating hunting in Yadkin County, upon second reading.

H. B. 888, S. B. 1085, bill to reform the divorce laws of North Carolina, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Northampton, the bill is made a special order for 11:30 o'clock to-day.

H. B. 251, S. B. 857, bill to regulate the trial of capital cases, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1354, S. B. 1577, bill to amend chapter 66, section 3859, relative to stranded goods, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1821, S. B. 1612, bill supplementary to chapter 616, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the oyster industry, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1615, S. B. 1379, bill to incorporate the camp-meetings in Dare County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 711, bill to prevent retail traffic in cigarettes and cigarette papers in North Carolina, upon second reading.

Upon request, Senator Turner is permitted to withdraw the bill from the further consideration of the Senate.

H. B. 1245, S. B. 1028, bill to prohibit the sale of cigarettes or cigarette tobacco within the town of Wingate in Union County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 595, bill relative to the date of marriage of Confederate soldiers and their widows, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1776, S. B. 1405, bill relative to the analysis of fertilizers, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 579, S. B. 532, bill to amend section 754 of The Code, relative to registers of deeds administering oaths, upon second readings.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 254, S. B. 1053, bill to facilitate the trial of civil and criminal cases, upon second reading.

The bill fails to pass second reading.

S. B. 1645, resolution to invite investors and good practical farmers from the North, East and Western States to visit North Carolina and participate in a meeting to be held in Raleigh during the third week in October, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1646, bill to authorize the city of Concord to sell at private sale its vacant lot on South Depot Street in said city, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1647, bill to further amend an act to amend the charter of the town of Concord, ratified June 22, 1901, chapter 9, Private Laws of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Person, H. B. 1835, S. B. 1600, bill to amend chapter 406, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the dispensary at Oxford, is recalled from the office of the Enrolling Clerk and the vote by which it passed third reading is reconsidered.

S. B. 1653, bill to promote the cause of education in Mecklenburg County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1655, bill to regulate certain official fees and salaries in Mecklenburg County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1656, bill to amend broad-tire law in Charlotte Township, Mecklenburg County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 1654, bill concerning sale by druggists of intoxicating liquors on prescriptions and for other purposes, in Mecklenburg County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1687, S. B. 1452, bill to amend chapter 295, Private Laws of 1897, relating to Black River, Great Coharie and Six Runs, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1520, S. B. 1381, bill to amend section 3756 of The Code, relative to the witness fees of doctors in Iredell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1222, S. B. 1250, bill to abolish the office of Standard-keeper in Bertie County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1508, S. B. 1396, bill to repeal chapter 576, Public Laws of 1899, relating to shell-fish law in Brunswick County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1768, S. B. 1524, bill to prevent usury and extortion in the counties of New Hanover and Guilford, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1819, S. B. 1490, bill to amend chapter 319, Public Laws of 1903, incorporating Powellsville M. E. Church in Bertie County, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Northampton, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1972, S. B. 1650, bill to provide for the collection of taxes for Mecklenburg County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1027, S. B. 1100, bill to amend chapter 352, Private Laws of 1899, to empower the Board of Aldermen of the city of Monroe to levy and collect taxes from insurance companies doing business in said city, etc., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1962, S. B. 1640, bill to prevent the illegal manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors in the city and county of Durham, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1572, S. B. 1526, bill to allow the State Librarian to have a seal and discharge other duties relative to his office, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1415, S. B. 1242, bill to tax peddlers of medicines, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1938, S. B. 1367, bill to amend an act of the General Assembly of 1905, ratified February 22d, an act to prevent the destruction of small menhaden in the waters of North Carolina, upon concurrence in amendment by the House.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 502, S. B. 1565, bill to provide for the establishment of a public school district from part of Salem Township in Granville County, and Williamson Township, Vance County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1835, S. B. 1600, bill to amend chapter 406, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the dispensary at Oxford, upon third reading.

The amendment offered by Senator Long of Person is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1779, S. B. 1562, bill to incorporate the North State Telephone Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 922, S. B. 1570, bill to regulate fishing in the Cape Fear River, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Williams, the vote by which H. B. 869, S. B. 1424, bill to authorize the county of Stanly to refund its bonded debt, passed its third reading, is reconsidered.

Upon motion of Senator Williams, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1711, S. B. 1586, bill to amend the charter of the State Normal and Industrial College, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1332, S. B. 1431, bill to complete the construction and properly drain the Trenton and Coal Creek road in Jones and Craven Counties, etc., upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1707, S. B. 1500, bill to regulate fishing in Pamlico County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1823, S. B. 1480, bill to prohibit hedging and fishing with traps in Bear Creek, Lenoir County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1971, S. B. 1648, bill to regulate dealings of State Treasurer with depository banks, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1679, S. B. 1521, bill to regulate the sale of fish in wooden packages, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Vann, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1969, S. B. 1642, bill to amend an act of the present session of the General Assembly, entitled "An act to define the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in certain counties in North Carolina," upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1815, S. B. 1639, bill to amend section 1059 of The Code, Laws of 1889, chapter 355, relative to the sale and manufacture of liquor, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1976, S. B. 1649, bill to appoint justices of the peace for Black River Township, Cumberland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1207, S. B. 730, resolution relative to compensation and traveling expenses of the pages, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1657, bill for the relief of T. D. Davis, an Oyster Inspector in Hyde County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 417, S. B. 1557, bill to prevent public drunkenness, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1374, S. B. 1561, bill to repeal chapter 318, Laws of 1887, upon second reading.

The bill fails to pass second reading.

H. B. 733, S. B. 1611, bill to establish a geological and economic survey in the State of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The amendment offered by Senator Foushee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1366, S. B. 1228, bill for the relief of Thomas C. Roberson, Clerk of the Superior Court of Anson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1967, S. B. 1634, bill in relation to public sales, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Empie, the vote by which H. B. 1508, S. B. 1396, bill to repeal chapter 576, Public Laws of 1899, relating to shell-fish in Brunswick County, passed its third reading, is reconsidered.

Upon motion of Senator Empie, the bill is tabled.

Upon motion of Senator Bragaw, S. R. 1165, resolution concerning the Jamestown Exposition, is taken from the table and placed upon the Calendar.

The amendment offered by Senator Bragaw is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1556, S. B. 976, bill to amend chapter 4, Public Laws of 1901, chapter 435, Public Laws of 1903, and other laws relating to the public school law, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1660, bill in relation to a lot of land near the city of Raleigh, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1691, S. B. 1595, bill incorporating the town of Yanceyville in the county of Caswell, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1846, S. B. 1596, bill to validate certain probates and registrations, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1346, S. B. 1093, bill to protect game by taxing dogs, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1461, S. B. 1614, bill to amend chapter 233, Laws of 1903, relating to dispensaries in North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 967, S. B. 659, bill to authorize the Board of Agri-

culture to fix the salary of Commissioner, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1970, S. B. 1658, bill supplemental to an act entitled "An act to correct State Grant No. 143, to David Jones of Beaufort County," upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 504, S. B. 1462, bill to repair the walks and grounds in the Capitol Square in the city of Raleigh, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 1964, S. B. 1641, resolution of the General Assembly, relative to the railroad fare of the messengers of the House, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1384, S. B. 394, bill to amend chapter 275, Public Laws of 1903, to revise the banking laws, upon concurrence in the House amendment.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 413, S. B. 1391, bill concerning the drainage of land, upon second reading.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1973, S. B. 1651, bill to make all county, city and town bonds liable to State taxes, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is tabled.

S. B. 1644, bill repealing exemption from taxation heretofore granted to municipal bonds, upon second reading.

The amendment offered by Senator Scales is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon request, Senator Stringfield is permitted to withdraw from the further consideration of the Senate S. B. 884, bill requesting the Senators and members in Congress from this State to introduce and support an amendment to the pension laws which shall place upon the pension roll all deserving and disabled Confederate soldiers.

S. B. 808, bill to amend section 913 of The Code, in reference to special terms of courts and exchange of courts, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 568, S. B. 1471, bill to change the time of holding February and May terms of Superior Court of Haywood County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1244, S. B. 1506, bill relating to the assignment of judges to certain districts by the Governor in case of sickness or other unavoidable accident, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Gaston, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1286, S. B. 1615, bill to amend chapter 43 of The Code, relating to mills, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1428, S. B. 1300, bill to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, relative to holding courts in Alamance County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1059, S. B. 934, bill to repeal chapter 814, Public Laws of 1903, so as to provide for a stock law in certain portions of Mitchell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 226, bill to reduce passenger fares to three cents a mile and abolish the distinction between first and second class passengers, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the bill is tabled.

S. B. 483, bill to amend chapter 1769 of The Code, relative to the priority of crop liens and chattel mortgages, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the bill is tabled.

S. B. 707, bill to pay T. H. Tatum a reward of $200, justly due him, for capturing one Bud Mebane, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1256, S. B. 1635, bill to divide the State into two circuits and to provide for rotation of the Judges of the Superior Courts therein, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the bill is tabled.

S. B. 1662, bill in regard to distribution of the Revised Code among justices of the peace, upon second reading.

The bill fails to pass the second reading.

S. B. 1157, bill to provide for the annotation of the Statute Laws of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The amendment offered by Senator Eller is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Senator Shaw reports from the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1966, S. B. 1632, bill to prevent the illicit sale of spirituous liquors in Tyrrell County, with a favorable recommendation.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 957, S. B. 1494, bill to change the time for holding certain courts in the First Judicial District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1401, S. B. 1126, bill to amend section 9, chapter 9, Private Laws of 1903, relating to the election of officers of the city of Asheville by the people, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, the bill is tabled.

S. B. 363, bill to amend chapter 750, Public Laws of 1901, in regard to holding town, city and special elections in counties and towns, is withdrawn by Senator Foushee, upon request.

Senator Webb withdraws motion to reconsider H. B. 1851, S. B. 1553, bill to make appropriations for State institutions.

S. B. 1663, bill to appoint boards of education for the various counties of the State, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, H. B. 733, S. B. 1611, bill to establish a geological and economic survey for the State of North Carolina, is withdrawn from the Committee on Agriculture and placed upon its immediate passage.

The amendment reported by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1731, S. B. 1530, bill to revise and consolidate the public and general statutes of the State of North Carolina, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Scales,

Shaw, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—37.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 175, S. B. 1188, bill to prevent dealing in futures, upon second reading.

Senator Eller moves to amend:

Amend by adding after section 7 the following: "That this act shall not be construed so as to apply to any person, firm, corporation, or his or their agent, engaged in the business of manufacturing or wholesale merchandising, in the purchase or sale of the necessary commodities required in the ordinary course of their bsuiness."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Duls moves to amend:

Amend by adding a new section before the ratification clause as follows: "That neither this act nor chapter 221, Public Laws of 1889, shall apply to any member of any of the legitimate exchanges or the authorized representatives of such members, all of whose transactions are actually executed on such exchange, provided that such member or representative shall procure license and pay the tax prescribed by the revenue laws, and shall conduct said operations in accordance with the rules and regulations and by-laws of such exchange."

Senator Pearson calls for the ayes and noes on the amendment.

The call is sustained.

The amendment is lost, ayes 6, noes 29, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Duls, Empie, Mason of Gaston, Miller, Pearson, Williams—6.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Eller, Fleming, Foushee, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Northamp-

ton, McLean, Moore, Odell, Scales, Sinclair, Stringfield, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Watkins, Wright, Zollicoffer—29.

Senator Fleming moves to amend:

Amend by adding to the amendment offered by Senator Eller the class known as cotton farmers.

The amendment is lost.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

H. B. 1965, S. B. 1627, bill to amend chapter 675, Public Laws of 1901, authorizing warehousemen to give bond, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

H. B. 1841, S. B. 1605, bill relative to a settlement of the South Dakota judgment and Schafer bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Miller, Moore, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

H. B. 1727, S. B. 1514, bill to submit to the qualified voters the question of the extension of the graded school district of Oxford, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady,

Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1715, S. B. 1487, bill to amend chapter 483, Public Laws of 1903, concerning the graded school at Pilot Mountain, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1689, S. B. 1482, bill to establish graded school in the town of Kings Mountain, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1503, S. B. 1517, bill to incorporate the town of Creedmoor in the county of Granville, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1517, S. B. 1516, bill to amend the charter of the town of Rose Hill in Duplin County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1730, S. B. 1515, bill to authorize the Commissioners of Harnett County to work convicts upon the public roads of said county, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor,

Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1710, S. B. 1486, bill to amend the charter of the town of Spencer Mountain Mills, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1410, S. B. 1518, bill to change the corporate limits of the town of Lumberton, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1485, S. B. 1701, bill to authorize the city of Washington to issue additional school bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp,

Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1671, S. B. 1484, bill to regulate the stock law in White Oak Township, Bladen County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1697, S. B. 1483, bill to incorporate the Southport and Northwestern Railroad Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1756, S. B. 1663, bill to incorporate the town of Richlands in Onslow County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

H. B. 1187, S. B. 1564, bill to incorporate the Watauga Railway Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

H. B. 1782, S. B. 1551, bill to change the boundaries of the Sanford Graded School District in Moore County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

H. B. 1785, S. B. 1550, bill amending chapter 103 of the Private Laws of 1883, to extend the corporate limits of the town of Maiden in Catawba County, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

H. B. 1772, S. B. 1552, bill to build a graded school building in the town of Ashboro, Randolph County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

H. B. 1766, S. B. 1556, bill to establish and maintain a graded school in certain specific territory in Wilson, Edgecombe and Nash Counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady,

Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

H. B. 1836, S. B. 1606, bill to amend the charter of Pittsboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Boyles, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Grady, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Miller, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Somers, Stringfield, Stubbs, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—43.

H. B. 1362, S. B. 274, bill to amend chapter 677, Public Laws of 1901, to prevent fire waste, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The Senate refuses to concur in the House amendment, and the President appoints Senator Scales as conference committee on the part of the Senate to consider and adjust the matters of difference.

Upon motion of Senator Long of Person, the Senate goes into Committee of the Whole.

At 5:30 o'clock the committee rises.

Senator Foushee, for the committee, reports that the committee has completed the consideration of the revenue bill.

The President lays before the Senate H. B. 1516, S. B. 1437, bill to be entitled a revenue and machinery act, upon its third reading.

Senator Foushee reports to the Senate the several amendments adopted by the Committee of the Whole.

The amendments are adopted.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, the amendments to the machinery act reported by the Finance Committee are adopted.

The amendment offered by Senator Foushee is adopted.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 31, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Shaw, Stringfield, Taylor, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Wright—31.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendments.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that Messrs. Roberson and Biggs have been appointed as conference committee on the part of the House to consider and adjust all matters of difference on H. B. 1326, S. B. 274, bill to amend chapter 677, Public Laws of 1901, to prevent fire waste.

SPECIAL ORDER.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate S. B. 807, bill to pay Solicitors a stipulated salary instead of fees, upon second reading.

Senator Wright moves to amend:

Amend by striking out, wherever it occurs, the words "twenty-five hundred dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two thousand dollars."

The amendment is lost.

Senator Zollicoffer moves to amend:

Strike out section 6 and add: "This act shall take effect from and after January 1, 1907."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Mason of Gaston moves to amend:

Strike out "from and after July 1, 1905" in line 1, section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the words "from and after January 1, 1907."

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Eller moves to amend:

Strike out "$2,500" and insert "$2,750."

The amendment is lost.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

It being a special order for this hour, the President lays before the Senate H. B. 888, S. B. 1085, bill to reform the divorce laws of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The substitute offered by Senator Eller is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the substitute.

The report of Senator Scales for the conference committee to consider H. B. 1326, S. B. 274, bill to amend chapter 677, Public Laws of 1901, to prevent fire waste, is adopted, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Foushee, the Senate adjourns until 9 o'clock Monday.

## FIFTY-THIRD DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, March 6, 1905.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Senator J. A. T. Jones of Johnston County.

The Committee on Daily Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday is correct, and the same stands approved.

Upon motion of Senator Bragaw, the courtesies of the floor are extended to Hon. Henry Page of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Maryland, and the President appoints Senators Bragaw and Pearson to escort him to a seat in the lobby of the Senate.

### MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from His Excellency, the Governor, Robert B. Glenn, transmitting certain nominations for the confirmation of the Senate.

Upon motion of Senator Fleming, the Senate goes into executive session for the purpose of considering the nominations.

The doors are opened and Senator Fleming reports that the Senate in executive session has confirmed nominations by the Governor as follows:

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Charles G. Rose, Fayetteville.
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J. G. Hackett, Chairman.
W. E. Crosland, Rockingham.
J. P. Kerr, Asheville.
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OYSTER COMMISSIONER.

W. M. Webb, Morehead City.

ASSISTANT OYSTER COMMISSIONER.

George H. Hill, Washington.

The appointment of Senators Webb and Stubbs as Senate branch of the Legislative Committee to examine the books of the Auditor and Treasurer is announced by the President of the Senate.

Upon motion of Senator McCulloch, H. R. 1964, S. R. 1641, resolution relative to the railroad fare of messengers of the House, is recalled from the office of the Enrolling Clerk and placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator McCulloch, the vote by which the bill passed third reading is reconsidered.

Senator McCulloch moves to amend:

Amend by adding the employees of the Senate.

The amendment is adopted.

Senator Sinclair moves to amend:

"Provided, this act shall apply only to those employees who now receive no mileage."

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

As member of the committee on the part of the Senate to receive the Revised Statutes when their publication is completed, Senator Eller nominates Senator Zollicoffer.

The nomination is seconded by Senator Scales.

Senator Zollicoffer is declared elected by a unanimous rising vote.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows:

By Senator Eller, S. B. 1079, bill to relieve the people from excessive insurance rates, and to prevent the organization and maintenance of trusts and combines in the business of fire insurance, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds:

By Senator Watkins, H. B. 1672, S. B. 1638, bill to protect public buildings and highways, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Scales, S. B. 888, bill to elect Superintendent of Public Instruction of Iredell County by a vote of the people, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 877, bill to regulate election of the Board of Education for the county of Catawba, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 878, bill to regulate the election of the Board of Education for Alleghany County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 879, bill to regulate the election of Board of Education for Ashe County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 638, bill to regulate the election of Superintendent and Board of Education for Rutherford County, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Judiciary Committee:

By Senator Foushee, H. B. 1001, S. B. 1610, bill for the protection of minor children whose fathers are dead and whose mothers are insane and owning estates, with favorable recommendation.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1764, S. B. 1613, bill to amend chapter 44, Acts of 1899, to facilitate the restoration to rights of citizenship in certain cases, with favorable recommendation.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1015, S. B. 1620, bill to amend chapter 99, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the sale of contingent remainders, with favorable recommendation.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 958, S. B. 1623, bill to amend chapter 159, Laws of 1903, with favorable recommendation.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1405, S. B. 1378, bill to provide for the assessment of express and telegraph companies and require them to pay

arrears in taxes for 1903 and 1904, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Salaries and Fees:

By Senator McCulloch, H. B. 1606, S. B. 1193, bill to provide a suitable compensation for the Clerk of the Superior Court of Beaufort County, with favorable recommendation.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

From the Committee on Rules:

By Senator Webb, H. B. 1963, S. B. 1631, joint resolution in regard to introduction of bills, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Odell, S. B. 1670, bill to amend chapter 420, Public Laws of 1903, to provide for the construction and keeping in repair the public roads of Cabarrus County.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Webb, S. B. 1671, bill to amend an act ratified March 4, 1905, to submit to the voters of Asheville the question of establishing a dispensary in Asheville.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Williams, S. B. 1675, bill for the repeal of an act for the relief of James A. Logan, Treasurer of Yadkin County.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Duls, S. B. 1678, substitute for S. B. 1671, H. B. 1278, bill to limit the poll tax in Mecklenburg County.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Arendell, H. B. 1674, S. B. 1502, bill to permit J. T. Cannady to give magic lantern exhibitions without license, is taken from the table and placed upon the Calendar.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Upon motion of Senator Duls, H. B. 1955, S. B. 1617, bill to establish a Board of Police, Fire and Health Commissioners for the city of Charlotte, is recalled from the Enrolling Clerk's office and the vote by which it passed its third reading is reconsidered.

Senator Duls offers an amendment.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

Upon motion of Senator Mason of Northampton, S. R. 1078, resolution in favor of M. A. Bledsoe, is taken from the table, and upon request, Senator Mason is permitted to withdraw the bill from the further consideration of the Senate.

## THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1672, S. B. 1638, bill to protect public buildings and highways, upon second reading.

Senator Ward moves to amend:

Amend by adding: "This act shall apply only to Onslow, Duplin and Jackson Counties."

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

H. B. 1841, S. B. 1605, bill relative to the settlement of the South Dakota judgment and Schafer bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 2004, S. B. 1673, bill supplemental to an act to regulate primary elections in New Hanover County.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 57, S. B. 1674, bill to regulate the practice of barbers in North Carolina, and establish a board of barber examiners, etc.

Upon motion of Senator Webb, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 1949, S. B. 1665, bill to incorporate Englehard in Hyde County.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1908, S. B. 1666, bill to prevent fowls running at large within two miles of Wakefield, Wake County.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1537, S. B. 1668, bill to amend The Code, putting

certain misdemeanors within jurisdiction of justices of the peace.

Upon motion of Senator Burton, the bill is tabled.

H. B. 812, S. B. 335, bill to cause railroad companies to deliver to consignees freight with reasonable promptness, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 737, S. B. 1667, bill to incorporate, establish and maintain the East Carolina State Normal Institute.

Upon motion of Senator Scales, the bill is referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1832, S. B. 1669, bill to establish a school of technology at Spray, and provide for its maintenance.

Senator Webb moves to amend:

Amend by striking out all appropriations from the State or reference thereto.

The amendment is lost.

Senator Vann moves to refer the bill to Committee on Education.

The motion is lost.

Senator Burton calls for the ayes and noes on second reading.

The call is sustained.

The bill fails to pass second reading, ayes 12, noes 20, as as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Burton, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Jones, McLean, Pearson, Sinclair, Stringfield, Ward, Watkins—12.

Those voting in the negative are: Senator Arendell, Boddie, Coxe, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, McCulloch, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Webb, Wright, Zollicoffer—20.

H. B. 1521, S. B. 1677, bill to put Greene County under operation of the Watts Law.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 2009, S. R. 1676, resolution of W. T. Horton.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1990, S. B. 1650, bill concerning sales by druggists of intoxicating liquors on prescriptions and for other purposes, in Mecklenburg County, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

H. R. 1993, S. R. 1165, resolution concerning the Jamestown Exposition, upon concurrence in amendment by the House of Representatives.

The amendment is concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2002, S. B. 1679, resolution concerning the establishment of a sub-post-office at the Capitol during the sitting of the Legislature.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1977, S. B. 1547, bill to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties of North Carolina, upon concurrence in amendments by the House of Representatives.

The amendments are concurred in and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1883, S. B. 1664, bill to allow the city of Greensboro to issue bonds.

The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

H. B. 1761, S. B. 1680, bill to amend section 3724 of The Code, relative to clerical assistance in the office of the Secretary of State.

Senator Sinclair moves to refer the bill to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

The motion fails.

Senator Sinclair calls for the ayes and noes on second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 18, noes 9, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, Moore, Scales, Stringfield, Stubbs, Turner, Turrentine, Watkins, Webb, Zollicoffer—18.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Burton, Foushee, Long of Iredell, McLean, Odell, Sinclair, Shaw, Thorne, Wright—9.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Aaron, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 888, S. B. 1085, an act relating to divorce.

H. B. 1996, S. B. 1660, an act in relation to a lot of land near the city of Raleigh, being conveyed by the State to the A. and M. College.

H. B. 1992, S. B. 1658, an act to amend the broad-tire law of Charlotte Township in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 1689, S. B. 1432, an act to establish a graded school in the town of Kings Mountain.

H. B. 1691, S. B. 1595, an act to incorporate the town of Yanceyville.

H. B. 1815, S. B. 1639, an act to amend section 1050 of The Code, Laws of 1889, chapter 335, relative to giving fur-

ther jurisdiction to process officers in the matter of the unlawful selling and manufacturing of intoxicating liquors.

H. B. 1986, S. B. 1646, an act to authorize the city of Concord to sell at private sale its vacant lot on West Depot Street in said city.

H. B. 1953, S. B. 1618, an act to amend chapter 364 of the Public Laws of 1903, and to consolidate the public road law of Granville County.

H. B. 1671, S. B. 1484, an act to regulate the stock law in White Oak Township in Bladen County.

H. B. 1332, S. B. 143, an act to complete the construction and properly drain the Trenton and Cove Creek road in Jones and Craven Counties, and the Tucker Bridge road in Jones and Onslow Counties.

H. B. 922, S. B. 1570, an act to prohibit the operation of fish-traps in more than one-third of the channel of the Cape Fear River.

H. B. 1948, S. B. 1630, an act to change the name of the town of Jerome, in Johnston County, to Micro.

H. B. 1990, S. B. 1654, an act concerning sales by druggists of intoxicating liquors on prescription and for other purposes in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 1939, S. B. 1653, an act to promote the cause of education in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 1222, S. B. 1250, an act to amend section 3840 of The Code, so as to abolish the office of Standard-keeper for Bertie County and Beaufort County.

H. B. 1330, S. B. 1026, an act to incorporate Raleigh and Durham Passenger and Power Company.

H. B. 1856, S. B. 1603, an act to make an additional appropriation of ten thousand dollars per annum to the State Hospital at Morganton.

H. B. 1711, S. B. 1566, an act to amend the charter of the State Normal and Industrial College.

H. B. 1976, S. B. 1849, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Cumberland County.

H. B. 1276, S. B. 1632, an act to protect public monuments.

H. B. 1415, S. B. 1242, an act to tax peddlers of drugs and medicines.

H. B. 1781, S. B. 1604, an act to amend chapter 556 of the Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to regulate life insurance companies and their government.

H. B. 1846, S. B. 1596, an act to validate certain probates and registration.

H. B. 1481, S. B. 1614, an act to amend chapter 233 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to dispensaries in North Carolina.

H. B. 1326, S. B. 274, an act to amend chapter 677 of the Public Laws of 1901, to prevent fire waste.

H. B. 1953, S. B. 1629, an act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds to build a court-house."

H. B. 156, S. B. 1590, an act to amend chapter 516 of Public Laws of 1903, relative to the oyster industry in North Carolina.

H. B. 1838, S. B. 1367, an act supplemental to an act of the General Assembly, ratified February 22, 1905, entitled "An act to prevent the destruction of small menhaden in the waters of the State of North Carolina."

H. B. 504, S. B. 1462, an act to repair the walks and grounds of Capitol Square in the city of Raleigh.

H. B. 1410, S. B. 1516, an act to change the corporate limits of the town of Lumberton.

H. B. 1701, S. B. 1488, an act to authorize the city of Washington to issue additional school bonds.

H. B. 1856, S. B. 1617, an act to establish a Board of Police, Fire and Health Commissioners for the city of Charlotte.

H. B. 1666, S. B. 559, an act to amend chapter 69, Public Laws 1901, relating to elections.

H. B. 1916, S. B. 1467, an act to amend section 739 of The Code, relative to costs to be paid in certain cases, to apply only to New Hanover County.

H. B. 1334, S. B. 1857, an act to prohibit lawlessness on public roads in Craven County.

H. B. 1769, S. B. 1421, an act to validate certain State grants.

H. B. 1585, S. B. 1413, an act to amend the charter of the town of Waynesville, North Carolina, and to provide for the paving and improvement of the streets of said town.

H. B. 1835, S. B. 1600, an act to amend chapter 406, Public Laws 1903, relating to a dispensary in the town of Oxford.

H. B. 1727, S. B. 1514, an act to extend the Oxford Graded School District.

H. B. 1779, S. B. 1562, an act to incorporate the North State Telephone Company.

H. B. 1627, S. B. 1452, an act to amend chapter 295 of the Public Laws of 1897, regulating fishing in Black River, Great Coharie and Six Runs.

H. B. 1936, S. B. 433, an act to amend section 2222 of The Code, so as to promote agriculture by encouraging the holding of county fairs.

H. B. 1987, S. B. 1647, an act to amend the charter of the town of Concord, ratified the 22d of January, 1901, being chapter 9 of the Private Laws of North Carolina.

H. B. 1972, S. B. 1650, an act to provide for the collection of taxes for Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 1531, S. B. 1626, an act to incorporate the Hickory Railway and Power Company, and for other purposes.

H. B. 1925, S. B. 1360, an act to require the levy of a special tax in the city of Asheville, to encourage industries and promote immigration.

H. B. 957, S. B. 1494, an act to change the time for holding certain courts of the First Judicial District.

H. B. 1851, S. B. 1553, an act to make appropriations for State institutions.

H. B. 1982, S. B. 1542, an act to extend the time for the organization of the Raleigh Light and Traction Company.

H. B. 1706, S. B. 1499, an act to repeal chapter 156, Public Laws of 1899.

H. B. 1366, S. B. 1228, an act for the relief of Thomas C. Robinson, Clerk of the Superior Court of Anson County.

H. B. 1707, S. B. 1500, an act to regulate fishing in Pamlico County.

H. B. 1245, S. B. 1028, an act to prohibit the sale of cigarettes and cigarette tobacco within the town of Wingate in Union County.

H. B. 1354, S. B. 1577, an act to amend chapter 66, section 3856, second volume of The Code.

H. B. 1056, S. B. 1625, an act to provide fire protection for State property and protect the inmates of the State institutions.

H. B. 1962, S. B. 1640, an act to prevent the illegal manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors in the city and county of Durham.

H. B. 1421, S. B. 1300, an act to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the holding of courts in Alamance County.

H. B. 1768, S. B. 1524, an act to prevent usury and extortion in the county of New Hanover.

H. B. 1971, S. B. 1648, an act to regulate the dealings of the Treasurer with depository banks.

H. B. 1681, S. B. 1498, an act supplementary to House Bill No. 279, Senate Bill 552, Acts 1905.

H. B. 1939, S. B. 1442, an act to change the Eleventh and Thirteenth Judicial Districts of North Carolina.

H. B. 1969, S. B. 1642, an act to amend an act passed at this session of the General Assembly entitled "An act to

define the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in certain counties in North Carolina."

H. B. 417, S. B. 1557, an act to prevent public drunkenness.

H. B. 1520, S. B. 1381, an act to amend section 3756 of The Code, relative to the witness fees of doctors in Iredell County.

H. B. 1932, S. B. 609, an act to make the *fac-simile* signature used by James W. Price, in his capacity as a notary public, his true and lawful signature for all intents and purposes.

H. B. 1823, S. B. 1480, an act to prohibit hedging and fishing with traps in Bear Creek in Lenoir County.

H. B. 1598, S. B. 1477, an act to amend chapter 199 of the Public Laws of 1887, by including "peanuts" in the provisions.

H. B. 1776, S. B. 1405, an act to amend chapter 479 of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to the analysis of samples of fertilizers, and to make the certificate of analysis from the State Chemist evidence in court without requiring his personal attendance as a witness, and for other purposes.

H. B. 1715, S. B. 1487, an act to amend chapter 483, Public Laws of 1903, concerning the graded school at Pilot Mountain.

H. B. 1821, S. B. 1612, an act to amend and supplement chapter 516 of the Public Laws of 1903, in relation to the oyster industry.

H. B. 579, S. B. 532, an act to authorize the register of deeds as *ex officio* clerk of the board of county commissioners to administer oaths.

H. B. 1763, S. B. 1628, an act to repeal chapter 83, Private Laws of 1899, relative to the corporate limits of the town of Jonesboro in Moore County.

H. B. 1459, S. B. 1558, an act to amend section 4, chapter 122, Public Laws 1903, entitled "An act for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors."

H. B. 1954, S. B. 1816, an act to amend section 11, chapter 29 of the Public Laws of 1901, changing the time of holding courts in Watauga County.

H. B. 1206, S. B. 708, an act to incorporate the town of Godwin, Cumberland County.

H. B. 967, S. B. 1659, an act to authorize the Board of Agriculture to fix the salary of the Commissioner.

H. B. 1967, S. B. 1634, an act in relation to public sales.

H. B. 1503, S. B. 1517, an act to incorporate the town of Creedmoor in the county of Granville.

H. B. 1059, S. B. 934, an act to repeal chapter 814 of the Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 1970, S. B. 1658, an act supplemental to an act entitled "An act to correct grant 143, to David Jones in Beaufort County."

H. B. 1966, S. B. 1632, an act to prevent the illicit sale of whiskey or other intoxicating liquors in Tyrrell County.

H. B. 956, S. B. 712, an act to amend section 76, chapter 89 of the Public Laws of 1901.

H. B. 1998, S. B. 1657, an act for the relief of T. D. Davis, an Oyster Inspector in Hyde County.

H. B. 2000, S. B. 1644, an act repealing exemption from taxation heretofore granted to municipal bonds.

H. B. 1556, S. B. 976, an act to amend chapter 4 of the Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 435 of the Public Laws of 1903, and other laws relating to the public school law.

H. B. 1286, S. B. 1615, an act to amend chapter 43 of The Code of North Carolina, relating to mills.

H. B. 1517, S. B. 1516, an act to amend the charter of the town of Rose Hill in Duplin County.

H. B. 1984, S. B. 1643, an act supplemental to an act ratified on the second day of March, 1905, the same being an act to amend the charter of the city of Asheville.

H. B. 1961, S. B. 1607, an act supplemental to an act entitled "An act relative to the Superior Courts for the

county of Martin," being H. B. 283, S. B. 44, and ratified on January 20, 1905.

H. B. 1991, S. B. 1655, an act to regulate certain official fees and salaries in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 1730, S. B. 1515, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Harnett to work convicts upon the public roads of said county.

H. B. 1978, S. B. 858, an act to exempt a certain boundary from special school tax in Henderson County.

H. B. 1346, S. B. 1093, an act to protect game by taxing dogs.

H. B. 568, S. B. 1471, an act to change the time for holding February and May terms of the Superior Court of Haywood County.

H. B. 1512, S. B. 1526, an act to allow the State Librarian to have a seal and to discharge other duties relative to the office.

H. B. 1911 S. B. 1529, an act to provide a dispensary for the town of Pikeville and township of Pikeville in the county of Wayne.

H. B. 1697, S. B. 1483, an act to incorporate the Southport, Northern and Western Railway Company.

H. B. 1264, S. B. 703, an act to incorporate the town of Rocky Point in Pender County.

H. B. 1710, S. B. 1486, an act to amend the charter of the town of Spencer Mountain Mills.

H. B. 379, S. B. 1188, an act as a substitute for House Bill No. 379, to prevent the dealing in futures.

H. B. 1027, S. B. 1100, an act to amend chapter 352 of the Private Laws of 1899.

H. B. 1615, S. B. 1379, an act to incorporate the camp-meeting in Dare County.

H. B. 1981, S. B. 1537, an act to amend chapter 131 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, 1899, and the charter of the City and Suburban Electric Company of Charlotte.

H. B. 1468, S. B. 1298, an act to amend, revise and con-

solidate the charter of the city of Raleigh in the county of Wake and State of North Carolina.

H. B. 746, S. B. 1375, an act to amend the charter of the town of Pine Bluff in Moore County.

H. B. 1384, S. B. 394, an act to amend chapter 275, Public Laws of 1903, it being an act revising the banking laws.

H. B. 1280, S. B. 1854, an act to amend chapter 263, Public Laws of 1903, relative to Spring Graded School in Alamance County, N. C.

H. B. 1965, S. B. 1627, an act to amend chapter 678 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of the year 1901, authorizing warehousemen to give bond.

H. B. 1983, S. B. 1608, an act to amend chapter 380 of the Public Laws of 1901, entitled "An act to relate to the road law of Charlotte Township."

H. B. 1076, S. B. 1098, an act to amend the charter of the town of Hendersonville in Henderson County.

H. B. 2502, S. B. 1565, an act to establish a public school district from portions of Salem Township in the county of Granville.

H. B. 413, S. B. 1391, an act concerning the drainage of land.

H. B. 733, S. B. 1611, an act to establish a geological and economic survey of the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 1187, S. B. 1564, an act to incorporate the Watauga Railway Company.

H. B. 1841, S. B. 1605, an act relative to the settlement of the South Dakota judgment and Schafer bonds.

H. B. 1606, S. B. 1193, an act to provide for a suitable compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Beaufort County.

H. B. 2005, S. B. 1670, an act to amend chapter 420, Public Laws of 1903, entitled "An act providing for the construction and keeping in repair the public roads of Cabarrus County."

H. B. 2004, S. B. 1672, an act supplemental to an act entitled "An act to legalize primary elections in New Hanover County," ratified March 4, 1905, it being House Bill 1610, Senate Bill 1189.

H. B. 1672, S. B. 1638, an act to protect public buildings and highways.

H. B. 958, S. B. 1623, an act to amend chapter 159 of the Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 1674, S. B. 1502, an act to permit J. T. Canaday of Onslow County to give magic lantern exhibitions without a license tax.

H. B. 1001, S. B. 1610, an act for protection of minor children whose fathers are dead and whose mothers are insane and owning estates.

H. B. 812, S. B. 335, an act to cause railway companies to deliver to consignees freights with reasonable promptness, and to amend chapter 590 of the Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 1521, S. B. 1677, an act to make chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, apply to Greene County.

H. B. 1015, S. B. 1620, an act to amend chapter 99, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the sale of contingent remainders when none of the contingent remaindermen are *in esse*.

H. B. 2003, S. B. 1663, an act to appoint members of the county board of education.

H. R. 1964, S. R. 1641, joint resolution of the General Assembly, relative to the mileage of the messengers of the House and to the Principal Clerk.

H. B. 1766, S. B. 1556, an act to establish and maintain a graded school in certain specific territory in Wilson, Edgecombe and Nash Counties.

H. B. 1926, S. B. 1355, an act to amend section 71, chapter 4 of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to Burlington Graded Schools, Alamance County.

H. B. 1772, S. B. 1552, an act to build a graded school building in the town of Ashboro.

H. B. 1836, S. B. 1606, an act to amend the charter of the town of Pittsboro.

H. B. 1785, S. B. 1550, an act to amend chapter 103 of the Private Laws of 1883, to extend the corporate limits of the town of Maiden, Catawba County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1782, S. B. 1551, an act to change the boundaries of the Sanford Graded School District in Moore County.

H. B. 1756, S. B. 1563, an act to incorporate the town of Richlands in the county of Onslow.

H. B. 2012, S. B. 1678, an act to limit the poll tax in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 1927, S. B. 1364, an act to repeal chapter 123, Private Laws of 1887, and to amend chapter 29, Private Laws 1885, relating to the town of Princeville, Edgecombe County.

H. B. 1908, S. B. 1666, an act to prevent fowls running at large within two miles of Wakefield, Wake County.

H. B. 1764, S. B. 1613, an act to amend chapter 44, Acts of 1899, and to facilitate the restoration to the rights of citizenship in certain cases.

H. B. 1949, S. B. 1665, an act to incorporate Engelhard in Hyde County.

H. B. 1731, S. B. 1530, an act for revising and consolidating the public and general statutes of the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 1761, S. B. 1680, an act to amend section 3724 of The Code, relating to clerical assistance in the office of the Secretary of State.

H. B. 1263, S. B. 1547, an act to appoint the justices of the peace for the several counties in North Carolina.

H. B. 1516, S. B. 1427, an act to amend chapter 247 of the Public Laws of 1903, and to amend an act to provide for the assessment of property and the collection of taxes.

H. B. 1928, S. B. 1041, an act to authorize the county of Stanly to refund the bonded indebtedness of said county.

H. R. 1993, S. R. 1165, a joint resolution concerning the Jamestown Exposition.

H. R. 2002, S. R. 1679, joint resolution concerning the establishment of a post-office at the Capitol during the sitting of the Legislature.

H. R. 1985, S. R. 1645, resolution to invite investors and good, practical farmers from the North, East and Western States to visit North Carolina and participate in a meeting to be held in the city of Raleigh during the third week of October, 1905.

H. R. 1964, S. R. 1641, joint resolution of the General Assembly, relative to the mileage of the messengers of the House and to the Principal Clerk.

H. R. 1207, S. B. 730, joint resolution of the General Assembly, relative to the compensation and traveling expenses of the pages.

H. R. 1852, S. R. 1349, resolution to renovate and fix up the Senate Chamber and Hall of the House of Representatives.

Senator Pearson introduces the following resolution:

RESOLUTION OF THANKS TO THE PRESIDENT.

*Resolved by the Senate*, that their thanks are due to Lieutenant-Governor Winston for the acceptable manner in which he has filled the place of President of this body. He has been courteous, quick and resourceful, and has left no pang in any breast upon the floor. The minority, from whom comes this paper, desire to emphasize the gracious treatment meted them by the Chair, which, at no juncture of the session, has been at any point partisan.

*Resolved further*, that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to engross this resolution in a handsome manner and present a copy to the President of the Senate, besides spreading the same upon the Journal.

The resolution is unanimously adopted by a rising vote of all the Senators present.

THE CALENDAR

is resumed.

H. R. 1988, S. R. 1652, resolution of adjournment.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1055, S. B. 1263, bill to re-enact and amend chapter 399, Private Laws of 1901, to incorporate the Aberdeen and Gibson Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 1287, bill to amend chapter 64, Private Laws of North Carolina, ratified on the 28th day of February, 1883, upon second reading.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1460, S. B. 1637, bill relating to purchase of liquors for dispensaries in North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 796, bill to regulate the sale of wine and cider in Tyrrell County, upon second reading.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 770, bill requiring all packages of liquor for shipment in prohibitory territory to be marked so as to show the contents thereof, upon second reading.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 754, bill to establish a stock law for a part of Turkey Township in Sampson County, and to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 177, bill to prevent hunting on the lands of another in Caldwell County without permission of the owner or his agent, upon second reading.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 1361, bill to regulate the election of the board of education for certain counties, upon second reading.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 1408, H. B. 1778, bill to fix salaries of Clerk of Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Mecklenburg County, upon second reading.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 1673, H. B. 1973, bill to prevent property being exempt from taxation, upon second reading.

The bill is tabled.

S. B. 1681, H. B. 1073, bill to aid the Appalachian Training School at Boone in Watauga County, upon second reading.

The bill is tabled.

H. B. 1766, S. B. 1556, bill to establish and maintain a graded school in certain specific territory in Wilson and Nash Counties, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1782, S. B. 1551, bill to change the boundary of the Sanford Graded School District in Moore County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield,

Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1785, S. B. 1550, bill amending chapter 103 of the Private Laws of 1883, to extend the corporate limits of the town of Maiden in Catawba County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1836, S. B. 1606, bill to amend the charter of Pittsboro, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1772, S. B. 1552, bill to build a graded school in the town of Ashboro, Randolph County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, Mc-

Lean, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1564, H. B. 1187, bill to incorporate the Watauga Railway Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turrentine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1756, S. B. 1563, bill to incorporate the town of Richlands in Onslow County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Coxe, Duls, Eller, Empie, Fleming, Foushee, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Moore, Odell, Scales, Shaw, Sinclair, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Turner, Turretine, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Webb, Williams, Wright, Zollicoffer—34.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

The hour of 12 o'clock having arrived, in accordance with H. R. 1988, S. R. 1652, joint resolution of adjournment, the Senate adjourns *sine die*.

FRANCIS D. WINSTON,
*President of the Senate and Lieutenant-Governor.*

A. J. MAXWELL,
*Principal Clerk.*

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